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Everybody invited to come.
All Fraternal Orders are invited to take part. Come early, help swell the crowd and have a good time.

SPECIAL RATES ON ALL RAILROADS.

Something Needed Portland Park Addition

Lots near the big Cement Plant to accommodate the hundreds of laborers to be employed in this great industry. This need has been met by laying out the Portland Park Addition just west of the cement plant. Lots are 30 feet by 140, with 60-foot streets and 20-foot alleys. Prices of lots are from \$20 to \$30. Terms, \$5 down and \$2 per month. A large reservoir is to be built on the north side by the cement company which will afford boating and fishing.

The Title is Perfect and the Location Slightly and Healthful.

Get on Easy Street by Buying Lots in Portland Park.

Homes in the Reach of All in Portland Park Addition.

Plant your Money in Portland Park and let it Grow.

Real Estate is the foundation of wealth--it's safe and sure. Get in on the ground floor at Portland Park

Only room for 80 families in Portland Park while hundreds will be needed. This is the only land that will be available for years. Have you seen Ada lots advance one hundred and even one thousand per cent, while you waited to see what the town would do? Take a tumble to yourself and buy lots in Portland Park. These lots are being sold at half their real value and on terms within the reach of all.

Ada Title and Trust Co.

Read The News Want Ads.

AN ELECTRIC LINE FOR ADA

**Also Great Summer Resort for Byrd's Mill--New York Capitalist Promoter
--Big Developments Looked For**

It is learned that J. C. Cameron, a New York capitalist, who was a leading pioneer promoter of Sulphur as a summer resort, has recently purchased from Frank Byrd the Byrd's mill property, including a two hundred acre tract of land and will make extensive investments there and build a summer resort.

Mr. Cameron is a brother-in-law of former Governor David B. Dill and brother of the famous Don Cameron. It is said he has disposed of his extensive interests in Sulphur and is now in Old Mexico building a big pleasure and health resort.

Until his return nothing definite can be stated touching the enterprise. But it is known that a year ago he took an option on the Byrd's Mill property with it in view to make of it a popular resort. He is experienced in the value of such sites and knows that as a natural park it is far superior to the site on which Sulphur was built. Scarcely could there be found a more picturesque region anywhere, and there are crystal springs and waterfalls in great abundance.

What concerns Ada more particularly--to put this projected resort in easy reach would necessitate an electric line, and Ada is the logical point for such a line to reach railroad connections. Byrd's Mill, or Crystal springs as it is also known by--is

about thirteen miles south of Ada.

It develops also that parties are already projecting such an electric line, beginning at Main street at the M. K. & T. depot, traversing this street to western limit, thence via the Cement plant, crossing the Oklahoma Central Ry. on to the Cement Company's quarry seven miles from town. When the cement plant begins operation there will be quite a little village on the site of the quarry. From the quarry it is only six miles up the valley to Byrd's Mill--magnificent scenery all the way.

This enterprise contemplates considerable freight traffic from the Oklahoma Central to town, forming a connection with the central now two miles away and Ada's other roads and her manufacturing enterprises, including the cement plant, the oil mill, the compress, etc.

The project seems quite feasible and attractive. It is said the Ada Electric Light plant has capacity to furnish power for the line. Completed and equipped with rolling stock, it is estimated that the electric road would cost, then, only about \$12,000 per mile. Such a line, furthermore, would furnish a basis for a street car system later on when Ada grows some.

Within the next few weeks some more definite developments may be looked for.

KILLING AT MILL CREEK

Former City Marshal Shot Bud English in Waco Jim's Joint--Deceased Once Under Indictment in Ada Court for Murder

Intelligence reached the U. S. marshal's office at Ada Thursday night of a killing at Mill Creek late in the afternoon.

It was reported that M. L. Moore shot and killed Bud English in Waco Jim's pool hall. The tragedy is said to have grown out of an old grudge. It seems that Moore while city marshal of Mill Creek arrested English several times on whiskey charges, and that the utmost ill feeling existed between the two. Moore, formerly city

marshal in mill creek, was a candidate for sheriff in the recent primary in Johnson county.

English was a notorious character in this country. Several years ago he was under indictment in the U. S. court at Ada for killing Bill Cain, a deputy U. S. Marshal, 13 or 14 years ago. The case, among the first docketed in the Ada court, was dismissed for want of jurisdiction. Moore was taken to Tishomingo where his case will be triable.

MRS. CURRIE'S FATHER DEAD

**Distinguished Lawyer passed away in
Livingston, Tenn.**

Livingston, Tenn., June 15.--(Special) Judge Winburn W. Goodpasture of this place, has been critically ill for several days, and his family is much alarmed over his condition. He is 78 years old, and is one of the best known lawyers and jurists of Tennessee. He has served with distinguished ability both this Chancery division and Judicial circuit as chancellor and Circuit judge, and has the reputation of being one of the best learned jurist of the state. He has lived in this county practically all his long life. No man among us is better known, and none was more generally and warmly loved. He is the personification of the highest, purest and noblest manhood, and his loss to this community would be irreparable. We but voice the prayerful sentiment of this entire section of the state when we express the hope of his early and complete recovery.--Nashville American.

LATER--We have been advised that the subject of the above sketch died Wednesday, the 19th inst., at 5:40 a. m.

Judge Goodpasture was the father of Mrs. W. G. Currie, of this city, and had many friends (former resi-

dents of his section of Tenn.), in this county. Mrs. Currie was at the bedside of her father at his decease, and, with her family, has our sincere sympathy in her sore affliction.

REMARIED ON DEATH BED

**Fear'd Indian Rites Might Not Hold
Good in Court.**

Tulsa, I. T., June 21.--A marriage license was yesterday issued to Joseph Koons and Lucinda Koons, who were married 26 years ago under the Creek Indian form. The Koonses are wealthy white people, and have several children of marriageable age. The record of their Creek marriage was destroyed in a fire some time ago and the old gentleman is probably on his death bed. Hence, that their children may be subjected to no legal entanglements in reference to their property in case of the father's death, the old people decided to remarry, after the manner prescribed by Uncle Sam.

Some years ago congress legalized the marriages under the old tribal forms and the marriage of the Koonses without doubt stands as a safeguard in any question of law. It is likely that their example in having an official marriage performed will be followed by others in a similar situation.

25 Per Cent From the Regular Price

This sale will positively last no longer than Saturday, June 22.

See what you can save by taking advantage of the discount

Blue Serges in two pieces, our former price	\$12.50	3-Piece suits, our former price	\$10.00
On sale now for	\$9.38	Now on sale for	\$7.50
Our suits in two pieces, former price	\$15.00	Our 3-piece suits, former price	\$7.50
Now on sale for	\$11.25	Now on sale for	\$5.63

Just received the Silver Brand up-to-date Negligee Shirts, and the Gold Brand

\$1.00 and \$1.50

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COMMENCING MONDAY, JUNE 24

FREE STREET FAIR and Carnival

**6 BIG DAYS
AND NIGHTS 6**

**Free Balloon Ascention Daily
FREE BAND CONCERT**

Shows and Attractions Furnished by the
**G. W. ANDREAU
AMUSEMENT CO.**

These Shows are Guaranteed to be Clean.
No Fakers or Gamblers attached

PRAISE FOR ADA

From Observing Visitor.

During the four score years of my sojourns and observations between the Niagara Falls and El Paso, Texas, York, Ohio, Kentucky, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Oklahoma and forty years in Texas, I have never before been able to say to the credit of any other town, as much as I can say, do say, and with pride shall continue to say, both here and elsewhere, to the credit of the town of Ada, Indian Territory.

I have now been a visitor in this town more than two months, and having no business to claim my attention, I have amused myself by visiting on tours of inquiry and observation, the numerous public works and plants of special enterprise; such as the great Portland Cement plant, the water works, brick yards, and have attended here one general election, and no where since I first came here, have I ever heard uttered an oath or a curse; I have not heard an unkind word spoken by anyone; I have seen no frown upon anyone's face; I have seen no tramps or vagabonds; neither have I seen any person apparently un-

der the influence of intoxicating liquor.

These remarks are intended to apply equally well to all ages, classes and conditions of society, moral, social, spiritual and industrial.

Everybody in Ada has been very kind to me. They all realize that I am but a transient visitor, very soon to leave here with no prospect of returning, and I can therefore make no other returns than to leave with them a sincere expression of my best wishes.

May the Goddess of Fortune with her infinite treasure As a matter of justice ever bear in mind

In dispensing her bounty to bestow a large measure

On these people, so very deserving and kind.

When I shall have left here and gone far away

Other missions of business to meet and fulfill

I shall kindly remember and earnestly pray

For these friends who have shown me such hearty good will.

Dr. C. M. Bell of Tehuacana, Texas.

The G. W. Andreau Amusement Co., will be here next week with a high class and clean street show. They carry forty people and have their own special train.

Ada Evening News

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HOWARD PARKER, Associate Editor
GEO. B. CHASE, Business Mgr.

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GREAT FEAST DAY FOR PONTOTOC'S PEOPLE.

Every citizen of Ada should lend his support, both moral and substantial, to the big celebration on the 4th of July, and when the historic day arrives every one should shut up his doors, eschew business, put on holiday attire, and give himself up entirely to an appropriate observance of the Glorious Fourth.

Ada is now all but a full fledged county seat. Enjoying the prestige belonging to it as the metropolis and capital of Pontotoc county, Ada should arrange to royally entertain all the people of the county at least once a year. This being an agricultural country, probably July 4th is the most convenient day. Each year, on this day, the people of Ada should play the gracious host to the rest of Pontotoc's people—should prepare a great feast, such as a free barbecue, and accessory entertainment and receive their neighbors with open arms. This annual reception should not be half-hearted or perfunctory. It should be

wholesaled or not at all; every resident of Ada on that day should feel that he is individually responsible for every visitor having a good time. Permit no one to look bored. If you see anybody you don't know introduce yourself and introduce others.

The News is glad the Woodmen of the World started the movement for a big barbecue and picnic on the 4th.

Let it, this year, be the beginning of a beautiful custom, a great annual county picnic,—so firmly established that every person in the county, when July 4th comes around, will understand without further invitation that he and his family are expected in Ada, and that if they stay away they will be missed, and through hard of.

By all means we must have an annual people's festival day.

110,000 VOTES IN PRIMARY

Such is the Estimate of Secretary Chapman of the Democratic Committee.

Oklahoma City, June 21.—"I believe when the ballots are all received that fully 110,000 votes were cast in the recent democratic primary election, and we already know from the returns that from 6,000 to 10,000 more votes were cast at the primary than

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Remember the hours and date. First come best pick. Yours to please,

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R. L. Williams
Matthew W. Kane
J. B. Turner

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C. N. Haskell

Lieutenant Governor

Geo. W. Bellamy

Attorney General

Chas. West

Secretary of State

William M. Cross

Treasurer

James Menefee

Auditor

M. E. Trapp

Clerk of Supreme Court

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State Examiner

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Superintendent Public Instruction

E. D. Cameron

Mine Inspector

Peter Hanraty

Commissioner of Charities

Miss Kate Barnard

Commissioner of Labor

Charles Dougherty

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County Judge

Joel Terrell

County Attorney

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Clerk of District Court

W. D. Lowden

County Clerk

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Sheriff

T. J. Smith

County Treasurer

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County Commissioner District No. 2

C. W. Floyd

County Commissioner District No. 3

G. M. Short

BIG BARBECUE AT ADA

Under management W. O. W. at LEADER GROVE one mile south of Ada.

JULY 4th

Free Barbecue and ice water for everybody in Pontotoc County. Speaking by orators of reputation and amusements of all kinds. Come early and stay late and have a big time celebrating the glorious Fourth.

Money Made

In buying city lots, improved and unimproved. Now is the time to buy as property valuations are increasing daily. We can show you some fine bargains.

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY

R. O. WHEELER, Manager

(AN OLD AND ESTABLISHED HOUSE)

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—OF OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.—

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USE IT TODAY AND SAVE DELAY

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The New Telephone Directory is being prepared for the Printer. We want your name to appear correctly. Any changes you desire, notify the Manager.

PIONEER TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO.

We keep a full line of prescription goods. We know how and can fill any prescription. We don't substitute. We deliver.

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Pianos We have just received several late styles and would be glad to have you call and inspect.
Sewing Machines A few high grade ball bearing White Sewing Machines at \$22.50 while they last.
Organs We can sell you a good organ from \$25 to \$100. \$5 down and \$2 per month. You'll have to hurry.
Sheet Music We are receiving new music every day. Come and try it on our pianos. Tell us your music troubles. Let us reason together.

Matthews Music Co.

Main Street

Get Acquainted With the Soil



Grow the best of everything for pleasure and profit. FARM AND RANCH will introduce you and direct you on the road to success.

It tells you how in combination with soil and climate to grow the best of everything—it tells you how to harvest what you grow, and more important still, tells you how to market with greatest profit what you have produced.

It has departments of special interest to each member of the family—father, mother, son, daughter—and each department contains clean, reliable, interesting, instructive, original matter, prepared specially for FARM AND RANCH. No second hand or done over articles printed first in other editions or publications.

No whisky, patent medicine or other injurious, fraudulent or unclean advertisements.

FARM AND RANCH don't claim in the reading matter to be honest and then through its advertising columns lure you into the clutches of those who will rob you of your money, health or character.

Its Correspondents' Department contains specially prepared articles by successful men and women who till the soil and know what they write about.

Its Household Department is edited by a woman of experience and ability, who is assisted by many of the most learned, and able and refined women in the Southwest.

The Children's Department is presided over by a mother, assisted by other mothers who know how to make this department more interesting than any similar department in any other publication. It is not necessary to warn the children not to read the advertisements.

Its Feed and Feed Stuffs Department is conducted by editors who have made the subject a special study; its veterinary department is in charge of leading veterinary surgeons.

That is why the most successful livestock breeders and feeders of the Southwest file each issue of FARM AND RANCH away for future reference. The Editors of every Department are employed because they are known to possess ability and superior knowledge about the topics upon which they are to write.

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Editorially and every other way its proprietors and editors fight for the right of the producers, and will continue to do so. It has no interest in any other publication or business not in direct line with this policy. FARM AND RANCH is the honest man's friend, the home builder's guide. Every home would be benefited by its weekly visits. It costs nothing to learn all about this great family, farm and stock journal. Why not try it in your home.



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Farm and Ranch or Holland's Magazine and The Weekly News one year for \$1.50. Send in your subscriptions at once.

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Says the best way to accumulate money is to resolutely save and bank a fixed portion of your income, no matter how small the amount. Suppose you follow the advice of Carnegie who started in life poor and open an account with

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PERSONAL MENTION

If you know it tell it or telephone it to The News. Keep in mind that the reporter is gifted with neither omniscience nor obliquity.

W. R. Payne is here from Roff.

W. J. Bryan will be at Sulphur on the 26th.

E. D. Lumsden is on a business trip to Dallas.

Ada tailoring and cleaning works east of postoffice. 48-tf

Attend the Methodist revival services at 9:30 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

Miss Robbie Oliphant of Huntsville, Texas, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. R. Mason.

Cleve Harris came in from Madill last night to see his mother who is right sick.

Mr. Hodges a capitalist from Wichita Falls, is in the city investigating opportunity for investment.

The finest thing you ever saw—that ball game, the Clowns vs. Mother Hubbards, at Roff, July 4th.

Paul Robinson of Muskogee is here in the interest of the New State Tribune, C. N. Haskell's paper.

L. T. Walters started the embellishment of fronts in the South Broadway block by painting the front of his undertaking establishment.

A. M. Gregg who was bitten by an alleged mad dog last Sunday, and who had applied a mad stone, is on the streets as though it had not occurred.

L. C. Van Ness, H. C. Upham, W. O. Kennedy, E. J. Archmard, and J. H. Smith, all of Oklahoma City, special insurance agents, spent the night in Ada.

S. H. Hamilton of Poteau, J. H. Fretwell of Wheatley, Ark., and W. N. Fretwell of Wilburton, are in the city visiting the latter's son, Baxter. They are also looking out for a location and may move to Ada.

Major J. S. Harris, of the Chapman hotel reached home last night after a month spent in the East. He attended the big confederate reunion at Richmond and the Jamestown exposition, but most of the time he visited in Atlanta Ga.

T. L. Rippey Preaching.

The Methodist revival, is still in progress. The pastor, T. L. Rippey is doing the preaching and special sermons are delivered at each service morning and evening. You are cordially invited to attend these meetings. The text last evening was: "Choose ye this day whom ye will serve." This evening it will be "Sowing and Reaping."

Chapman Brand Shoes

STRICTLY HIGH GRADE GUARANTEED PATENT

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We have the finest line of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes in Ada. You will get better satisfaction and save money in buying shoes at our exclusive shoe store.

CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man

One Year Old Trees in Nursery Full of Luscious Fruit.

The Cales Brothers, proprietors of the Ada nurseries, brought to the News office two remarkable specimens of fruit trees. Each is a one year old budded shrubs about a yard high. One is a late peach, called the Champion and has a dozen peaches on it. The other is the "Earl Rivers" and bears seven well developed, ripe peaches.

Mr. Cales says many of his little trees have acted in this precocious manner. Such young trees were never known to bear so much fruit.

Certainly the Ada country is a paradise for peaches.

Tore Up the Telephone.

Lightning tore up the office phone of Drs. Ligon and King. It made them "kind o' nervous and uneasy," but mindful of the prevalent belief that lightning never strikes twice in the same spot, they have concluded not to move their office.

Married at Eufala.

Word was received by Ada friends this morning announcing the marriage at Eufala last Saturday of Miss Frank Goldsborough and H. M. Burch. The bride at one time lived in Ada and has many warm friends here. Mr. Burch is in the newspaper business at Eufala and is a highly respected citizen of that town. Ada friends extend congratulations and sincere wishes for a life of happiness for the contracting parties.

Dr. Granger and Bride Arrive.

Doctor T. H. Granger arrived last afternoon with his bride from Chamois, Mo., where they were married some days ago. So profuse have been the congratulations heaped upon the doctor today by his Ada friends that his face wears a sort of fixed smile. The couple have a cordial welcome in Ada. They will go to housekeeping in the doctor's house in South Side Addition.

Mr. Carmean Leaves.

S. H. Carmean, who has been connected with the U. S. District clerk's office in Ada for some four years, has resigned the office to accept the office of chief of police in his home town, Lawrence, Kansas, to which he was recently appointed. During his sojourn in Ada Mr. Carmean has made many friends whose best wishes he bears back home.

Triangular Fight.

Late Thursday afternoon a triangular trouble occurred between Lem Mitchell, Jim Hammond, and Pete Duncan on the sidewalk west of the courthouse. When the aftermath came up in the mayor's court this morning the two first named paid fines, and Duncan's case was dismissed.

Endeavorers Return.

Presnal Sugg, Raymond Barton, and Orel Harper have returned from Oklahoma City whither they and Gilbert Reed went last Sunday to attend the state convention of the society of Christian Endeavor. Gilbert was taken ill up there and was not able to return. His father W. L. Reed, is with him.

The delegates report a most enjoyable and edifying convention. They made an effort to get Indian Territory divided into districts, and succeeded in getting a district composed of Pontotoc, Murray and Johnson counties.

Success in life is accompanied by increase of enemies. That's why Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has so many imitators; it's a success. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

Wright and Berry, tailors, next door to postoffice, for high class work. 48-tf

RENCH TOYS FOR BEACH.

Are More Elaborate Than Those Made for the American Youngsters.

The toys with which French children play on the beach include a varied assortment of implements and paintings to use in the sand at the seashore.

First, there is a sand screen, such as builders use, but in miniature, and which, with a brace at the back, can be set up in like manner on the beach, for screening the sand; and then there is a little hand sieve or sifter which can be used for the same purpose.

With these sets there is a pan to carry sand in, and there are a shovel and a sand scoop to dig with, and there is also a little rake, and besides all these there are little tin molds or forms in the shape of fishes and shells and capital letters of the alphabet; and finally there goes with each set, as part of it, a skipping rope.

Certainly pretty elaborate outfits are the little French sand sets for children.

Uneasy.

"Will your books stand a heavenly audit?" asked the minister.

The magnate in the congregation squirmed uneasily.

He knew that an unbiased audit wholly earthly would jar him hard enough.—Philadelphia Ledger.

While it is said every thing is going up look at our

REDUCTIONS

Granite Wash pans, the kind usually sold at 20c this week at 5c each.

See our cut prices on Ball Mason Fruit Jars. Pints 59c a doz; quarts 69c a doz; half gallons 79c a doz.

Extra Jar Caps and Rubber porcelain lined. 25c a doz.

Extra Jar Rubbers 5c a doz. Extra heavy jar rubbers 9c per doz.

Jelly Glasses—We have two sizes, 1/2 pints 30c per doz. 3/4 pints 25c per doz.

When you want glassware, queensware, enameledware, tinware, etc., come to see us.

Stoneware—Crockers and jars. Buy all you want here at 6c per gallon.

See our new line of Laces, only 5c per yard.

Handkerchiefs—Extra values in ladies' and gents' handkerchiefs, 5c and 10c.

Umbrellas—For ladies and gents, imitation silk, extra values for \$1.00.

Gloves—We wish to call your attention to our line of gloves. Ladies' mercerized gloves in black, white and colors, 30c a pair.

Saturday Extra Special—We are going to sell while they last another lot of those good four-strand brooms at 10c each. Sold with 25c worth of other goods, one to a customer. Come and see

The Nickel Store and China Hall.

The 5c and 10c Store of Ada S. M. SHAW, Prop.

QUEER WAYS OF FISHING.

Trout Killed with a Hammer—Masked Lake Fishermen.

"I wore a woolen mask when I caught that fish," said the angler, pointing to a mounted specimen above the sideboard, "and the thermometer registered 12 degrees below zero at the time. It was on Lake Michigan. On the lakes the summer fishing will aggregate 130,000,000 pounds a season. There is a winter fishing, too, when men in windmasks sit over little holes in the thick ice and, at a polar temperature, watch their tleups. They don't catch much, but what they do catch they get seven or eight cents a pound for, and thus it is possible for the winter fishermen to earn \$12 a day. I'd have earned \$17 the day I went out if I had sold my fish. The little carp over the mantel was caught with a mirror. My line had a mirror behind the bait. When a fish approached his own reflection made him think that another fish was about to snatch the bait from him, and he bit greedily. The fine trout above the hole in the carpet I caught with a hammer. What? Yes, a hammer. That is the Georgia way. They waded up and down a stream and whack with a stout sledge every big stone they pass. Then they turn over the stone and find as' like as not, a stunned trout underneath."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

BIG FIND OF MEERSCHAUM.

Discovery Does Away With Turkish Government's Monopoly.

Because of the discovery of vast deposits of meerschaum in the mountains of New Mexico it is likely that the monopoly of that mineral heretofore held by the Turkish government will be broken, and pipes of that material will be lessened in cost.

Until recently all the meerschaum used in the commerce of the world was produced from a mine in the plains of Eskihisler, Anatoly, Turkey in Asia. In those mines are employed 10,000 men. The output of the mine was owned by the Turkish government and it kept the price up.

It is said that enough meerschaum has been discovered in Grant county, New Mexico, to supply the world's needs.

There is a popular belief that meerschaum is petrified sea foam washed up ages ago and solidified by some strange process of nature. Meerschaum is a mineral known to scientists as "sepiolite." It is composed principally of silica and magnesium. It is found in fissures in the rock, where volcanic action has forced it up to the surface.

Meerschaum is used not only for making tobacco pipes, but because of its unique properties of resisting a high degree of heat and its ready absorption of water, it is put to various electrical and mechanical uses.

In the mines of New Mexico a solid block of meerschaum weighing 42 pounds was taken out. It was the largest block of meerschaum ever mined.—New York Financial News.

WANT COLUMN

Want ads in the News are sure to bring results. tf

Lost—A new, ivory handled, 45 Colts, long barrel, election six shooter. Liberal reward. Return to News.

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver good residence and business property at "pawn broker prices."

WANTED—Young man or boy to solicit circulation for the Daily and Weekly News. Apply to Business manager News. tf

WANTED—First-class board and room in private family by couple without children. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Furnished cottage or rooms for housekeeping. State location and price. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Position by a young lady with a thorough knowledge of stenography and bookkeeping. Neat and correct in her work. Inquire at this office. dh

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver improved and unimproved, both business and residence property, at a "hard up" bargain.

A Childish Trait That Clings to Us in Later Years.

"When we were children," said the head of a big department store, "do you remember how delighted we were with new toys and how quickly we tired of them? I don't suppose that we tired of them quite so quickly as the children do nowadays, for we didn't have quite so many of them. But tire of what we had we did; it's only human nature, you know, to regard a thing as of diminishing importance when once it is in our possession.

"The application of what I'm saying is in relation to the same trait as shown by men and women. A trait which in my business life I've had plenty of opportunities to study. It's all a fallacy about our growing up in every way; there are lots of childish things that we don't outgrow, and never will, and this getting tired of toys is one of them. The toys change, that's all. One of the secrets of establishing successful trade is recognition of this fact. People don't want novelties so much because they are novelties as because a change is welcome, whether in wearing apparel, articles of ornament, house furnishings, or means of conveyance.

"I hate to think what will happen to the automobile business when airships come in. When we are used to a thing, we can't get in the least excited about it, and pleasurable excitement, I think, is what most of us young and old are after in this day and generation. I don't know that, in the last analysis, we are very much worse than our ancestors in this particular, but this age moves more rapidly than any previous one, and naturally, we show the effects. We simply have more chances to be off with the old and on with the new, and it's come to be a point of honor to avail ourselves of these chances up to the limit of our purses."

Treasure Trove in France.

A remarkable case of treasure trove has been reported to the French treasury. The find consisted of two large sacks of French crowns of the reigns of Louis XIII. and XIV. They had been brought to light in the course of some excavations carried out in the barracks at Romarantin. They are believed to have been buried under ground for security during the wars and the famine that desolated France in the closing years of the Grand Monarque. The oldest date about 260 years back.

Did You Know

That the human body is composed of at least eighty (80) per cent water. If the water you drink is not pure and wholesome your system will be impaired.

We are now agents for the well known "Pal-Pinta" or Texas Carlsbad mineral water, and the now famous "Claremore Radium Water." Let us talk to you about them.

Gwin, Mays & Co.

THE DRUGGISTS.

"We run a drug store and nothing more."

Cosmetics will ruin the complexion. There's no beauty practice equal to the effects of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It keeps the entire body in perfect health. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Ramsey's drug store.

NEW FRISCO TIME CARD

The following new time card is now in effect.

TIME TABLE.

North Bound.

No. 512—Eastern Express. 9:35 a. m.
No. 510—Meteor. 4:55 p. m.
No. 504—St. Louis and Kansas City Passenger. 11:43 p. m.

South Bound.

No. 509—Meteor. 9:00 a. m.
No. 511—Texas Passenger. 8:23 p. m.

CITY OFFICERS.

C. O. Barton. Mayor
Jesse Warren, Recorder, Assessor and Collector
Thos. P. Holt. City Attorney
S. W. Hill. City Treasurer
R. C. Couch. City Marshal
E. S. Collins. Street Commissioner
L. L. Johnson. Water Supt.
H. Browall. Chief Fire Dept.

Chairmen of Standing Committees
Cemetery, Sanitary and City Park.

J. T. Conn
W. C. Lee
R. T. Kerr
J. T. Sutton
T. J. Chambliss
A. J. Deaton

Streets, Alleys, Sidewalk,
M. D. Timberlake

CASH

Is what you want every day. Without you are at the mercy of others when sickness and old comes. Sign a declaration of independence for yourself by starting a savings account with a dollar or two today with the

Ada National Bank

Are You Insured?

IF NOT, WHY NOT?

Hicks predicts tornados during the summer and fires are liable to occur at any time. Therefore you had better prepare yourself against loss by insuring in old reliable companies.

AT

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY
R. O. WHEELER, Manager

When hot and tired and thirsty just stop at Ramsey's and make a noise like

ORANGEADE, Only 5c, Try It.

RAMSEY'S DRUG STORE

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

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ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Will do a general Civil and Criminal Practice.
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Rooms 1, 2 and 3 1st Nat'l Bank B'l'g.

DR. T. W. CHADWICK,

VETERINARY SURGEON AND DENTIST.
Is now located at
the Texas Wagon Yard.
Examination free.

Residence phone 305; Office phone 306.

The come and go feeling that you experience after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is simply wonderful. Drugs increase your weakness. This remedy does the business. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

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Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets
A Busy Medicine for Busy People.

Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor.
A Specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache and Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE



MEN AND WOMEN.

Use Big 4 for unnatural discharges, inflammations, irritations or ulcerations of mucous membranes. Pains, and not astrigent or poisonous.
Sold by Druggists, or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for \$1.00, or 3 bottles \$2.75. Circular sent on request.

THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE

Hereby is announced the Mason Drug Co., a candidate for the most popular drug store in Pontotoc county, subject to the action and approval of all the people who want PURE DRUGS, HONEST PRICES, and a square deal. And this candidate will be an easy winner.

ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Is given up to be best. Do

Largest Agency Work

of any plant in this Territory.

Want A Bath?

Then get a good clean one, Hot or Cold, at High & Litzman's Barber Shop, next door to English Kitchen.



When you want to enjoy a good appetizing meal at a moderate charge, come to the

English Kitchen

Everything strictly first class and clean. Once you eat here you'll become a regular patron.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure by local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proved catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials.
Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Takes Halls Family pills for Constipation.

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HARDWARE and TINNERS
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THE EVENING NEWS

M. LEVIN
NEW and SECOND HAND
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CELEBRATE at ROFF

Everybody invited to come.
All Fraternal Orders are invited to take part. Come early, help swell the crowd and have a good time.

SPECIAL RATES ON ALL RAILROADS.

Something Needed Portland Park Addition

Lots near the big Cement Plant to accommodate the hundreds of laborers to be employed in this great industry. This need has been met by laying out the Portland Park Addition just west of the cement plant. Lots are 30 feet by 140, with 60-foot streets and 20-foot alleys. Prices of lots are from \$20 to \$30. Terms, \$5 down and \$2 per month. A large reservoir is to be built on the north side by the cement company which will afford boating and fishing.

The Title is Perfect and the Location Slightly and Healthful.
Get on Easy Street by Buying Lots in Portland Park.
Homes in the Reach of All in Portland Park Addition.
Plant your Money in Portland Park and let it Grow.

Real Estate is the foundation of wealth--it's safe and sure. Get in on the ground floor at Portland Park.

Only room for 80 families in Portland Park while hundreds will be needed. This is the only land that will be available for years. Have you seen Ada lots advance one hundred and even one thousand per cent, while you waited to see what the town would do? Take a tumble to yourself and buy lots in Portland Park. These lots are being sold at half their real value and on terms within the reach of all.

Ada Title and Trust Co.

Read The News Want Ads.

AN ELECTRIC LINE FOR ADA

Also Great Summer Resort for Byrd's Mill--New York Capitalist Promoter
--Big Developments Looked For

It is learned that J. C. Cameron, a New York capitalist, who was a leading pioneer promoter of Sulphur as a summer resort, has recently purchased from Frank Byrd the Byrd's mill property, including a two hundred acre tract of land and will make extensive investments there and build an attractive summer resort.

Mr. Cameron is a brother-in-law of former Governor David B. Dill and brother of the famous Don Cameron. It is said he has disposed of his extensive interests in Sulphur and is now in Old Mexico building a big pleasure and health resort.

Until his return nothing definite can be stated touching the enterprise. But it is known that a year ago he took an option on the Byrd's Mill property with it in view to make of it a popular resort. He is experienced in the value of such sites and knows that as a natural park it is far superior to the site on which Sulphur was built. Scarcely could there be found a more picturesque region anywhere, and there are crystal springs and waterfalls in great abundance.

What concerns Ada more particularly—to put this projected resort in easy reach would necessitate an electric line, and Ada is the logical point for such a line to reach railroad connections. Byrd's Mill or Crystal Springs as it is also known by—is

about thirteen miles south of Ada. It develops also that parties are already projecting such an electric line, beginning at Main street at the M. K. & T. depot, traversing this street to western limit, thence via the Cement plant, crossing the Oklahoma Central Ry. on to the Cement Company's quarry seven miles from town. When the cement plant begins operation there will be quite a little village on the site of the quarry. From the quarry it is only six miles up the valley to Byrd's Mill—magnificent scenery all the way.

This enterprise contemplates considerable freight traffic from the Oklahoma Central to town, forming a connection with the central now two miles away and Ada's other roads and her manufacturing enterprises, including the cement plant, the oil mill, the compress, etc.

The project seems quite feasible and attractive. It is said the Ada Electric Light plant has capacity to furnish power for the line. Completed and equipped with rolling stock, it is estimated that the electric road would cost, then, only about \$12,000 per mile. Such a line, furthermore, would furnish a basis for a street car system later on when Ada grows some.

Within the next few weeks some more definite developments may be looked for.

KILLING AT MILL CREEK

Former City Marshal Shot Bud English in Waco Jim's Joint--Deceased Once Under Indictment in Ada Court for Murder

Intelligence reached the U. S. marshal's office at Ada Thursday night of a killing at Mill Creek late in the afternoon.

It was reported that M. L. Moore shot and killed Bud English in Waco Jim's pool hall. The tragedy is said to have grown out of an old grudge. It seems that Moore while city marshal of Mill Creek arrested English several times on whiskey charges, and that the utmost ill feeling existed between the two. Moore, formerly city

marshal in mill creek, was a candidate for sheriff in the recent primary in Johnson county.

English was a notorious character in this country. Several years ago he was under indictment in the U. S. court at Ada for killing Bill Cain, a deputy U. S. Marshal, 13 or 14 years ago. The case, among the first docketed in the Ada court, was dismissed for want of jurisdiction. Moore was taken to Tishomingo where his case will be triable.

MRS. CURRIE'S FATHER DEAD

Distinguished Lawyer passed away in Livingston, Tenn.

Livingston, Tenn., June 15.—(Special) Judge Winburn W. Goodpasture of this place, has been critically ill for several days, and his family is much alarmed over his condition. He is 78 years old, and is one of the best known lawyers and jurists of Tennessee. He has served with distinguished ability both this Chancery division and judicial circuit as chancellor and Circuit judge, and has the reputation of being one of the best learned jurists of the state. He has lived in this county practically all his long life. No man among us is better known, and none was more generally and warmly loved. He is the personification of the highest, purest and noblest manhood, and his loss to this community would be irreparable. We but voice the prayerful sentiment of this entire section of the state when we express the hope of his early and complete recovery.—Nashville American.

LATER—We have been advised that the subject of the above sketch died Wednesday, the 19th inst., at 5:40 a. m.

Judge Goodpasture was the father of Mrs. W. G. Currie, of this city, and had many friends (former resi-

dents of his section of Tenn.), in this county. Mrs. Currie was at the bedside of her father at his decease, and, with her family, has our sincere sympathy in her sore affliction.

REMARIED ON DEATH BED

Fearful Indian Rites Might Not Hold Good In Court.

Tulsa, I. T., June 21.—A marriage license was yesterday issued to Joseph Koons and Lucinda Koons, who were married 26 years ago under the Creek Indian form. The Koonses are wealthy white people, and have several children of marriageable age. The record of their Creek marriage was destroyed in a fire some time ago and the old gentleman is probably on his death bed. Hence, that their children may be subjected to no legal entanglements in reference to their property in case of the father's death, the old people decided to remarry, after the manner prescribed by Uncle Sam.

Some years ago congress legalized the marriages under the old tribal forms and the marriage of the Koonses without doubt stands as a safeguard in any question of law. It is likely that their example in having an official marriage performed will be followed by others in a similar situation.

25 Per Cent From the Regular Price

This sale will positively last no longer than Saturday, June 22.
See what you can save by taking advantage of the discount

Blue Serges in two pieces, our former price	\$12.50	3-Piece suits, our former price	\$10.00
On sale now for	\$9.38	Now on sale for	\$7.50
Our suits in two pieces, former price	\$15.00	Our 3-piece suits, former price	\$7.50
Now on sale for	\$11.25	Now on sale for	\$5.63

Just received the Silver Brand up-to-date Negligee Shirts, and the Gold Brand

\$1.00 and \$1.50

I. HARRIS.

COMMENCING MONDAY, JUNE 24

FREE STREET FAIR and Carnival

6 BIG DAYS AND NIGHTS 6

Free Balloon Ascention Daily
FREE BAND CONCERT

Shows and Attractions Furnished by the
**G. W. ANDREAU
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These Shows are Guaranteed to be Clean.
No Fakers or Gamblers attached

PRAISE FOR ADA

From Observing Visitor.

During the four score years of my sojourns and observations between the Niagara Falls and El Paso, Texas, York, Ohio, Kentucky, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Oklahoma and forty years in Texas, I have never before been able to say to the credit of any other town, as much as I can say, do say, and with pride shall continue to say, both here and elsewhere, to the credit of the town of Ada, Indian Territory.

I have now been a visitor in this town more than two months, and having no business to claim my attention, I have amused myself by visiting on tours of inquiry and observation, the numerous public works and plants of special enterprise; such as the great Portland Cement plant, the water works, brick yards, and have attended here one general election, and no where since I first came here, have I ever heard uttered an oath or a curse, I have not heard an unkind word spoken by anyone; I have seen no frown upon anyone's face; I have seen no tramps or vagabonds; neither have I seen any person apparently un-

der the influence of intoxicating liquor.

These remarks are intended to apply equally well to all ages, classes and conditions of society, moral, social, spiritual and industrial.

Everybody in Ada has been very kind to me. They all realize that I am but a transient visitor, very soon to leave here with no prospect of returning, and I can therefore make no other returns than to leave with them a sincere expression of my best wishes.

May the Goddess of Fortune with her infinite treasure

As a matter of justice ever bear in mind

In dispensing her bounty to bestow a large measure

On these people, so very deserving and kind

When I shall have left here and gone far away

Other missions of business to meet and fulfill

I shall kindly remember and earnestly pray

For these friends who have shown me such hearty good will.

Dr. C. M. Bell of Tehuacana, Texas.

The G. W. Andreau Amusement Co., will be here next week with a high class and clean street show. They carry forty people and have their own special train.

Ada Evening News

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HOWARD PARKER, Associate Editor
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GREAT FEAST DAY FOR PONTOTOC'S PEOPLE.

Every citizen of Ada should lend his support both moral and substantial to the big celebration on the 4th of July and when the historic day arrives every one should shut up his doors, eschew business, put on holiday attire and give himself up entirely to an appropriate observance of the Glorious Fourth.

Ada is now all but a full fledged county seat. Enjoying the prestige belonging to it as the metropolis and capital of Pontotoc county, Ada should arrange to royally entertain all the people of the county at least once a year. This being an agricultural country, probably July 4th is the most convenient day. Each year on this day the people of Ada should play the gracious host to the rest of Pontotoc's people—should prepare a great feast such as a free barbecue and accessories, entertainment and receive their neighbors with open arms. This annual reception should not be half hearted or perfunctory. It should be

wholesaled or not at all every resident of Ada on that day should feel that he is individually responsible for every visitor having a good time. Permit no one to look bored. If you see anybody you don't know introduce yourself and introduce others.

The News is glad the Woodmen of the World started the movement for a big barbecue and picnic on the 4th. Let it this year be the beginning of a beautiful custom, a great annual county picnic—so firmly established that every person in the county when July 4th comes around will understand without further invitation that he and his family are expected in Ada and that if they stay away they will be missed and thought hard of. By all means we must have an annual people's festival day.

110,000 VOTES IN PRIMARY

Such is the Estimate of Secretary Chapman of the Democratic Committee.

Oklahoma City, June 21.—I believe when the ballots are all received that fully 110,000 votes were cast in the recent democratic primary election and we already know from the returns that from 6,000 to 10,000 more votes were cast at the primary than

Saturday Evening 4 to 8 p. m.

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in stock at only

\$5.00

cut, made, and fitted to you. All are worth more some \$7.50. I bought some bargains and offer them at bargains.

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Remember the hours and date. First come best pick. Yours to please,

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Matthew W. Hake

J. B. Turner

Governor

C. N. Haskell

Lieutenant Governor

Geo. W. Bellamy

Attorney General

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Superintendent Public Instruction

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Mine Inspector

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Commissioner of Charities

Miss Kate Barnard

Commissioner of Labor

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District Judge

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Floterial Representative

Edgar S. Ratliff

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Frank Huddleston

County Judge

Joel Ferrell

County Attorney

Robt. Wimbish

Clerk of District Court

W. D. Lowden

County Clerk

W. S. Kerr

Sheriff

T. J. Smith

County Treasurer

J. C. Cates

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C. C. Hargis

County Surveyor

George Truitt

Superintendent of Schools

T. F. Pierce

County Welder

Charles A. Thomas

County Commissioner District No. 1

John D. Rindard

County Commissioner District No. 2

C. W. Floyd

County Commissioner District No. 3

G. M. Short

BIG BARBECUE AT ADA

Under management W. O. W. at LEADER GROVE one mile south of Ada.

JULY 4th

Free Barbecue and ice water for everybody in Pontotoc County. Speaking by orators of reputation and amusements of all kinds. Come early and stay late and have a big time celebrating the glorious Fourth.

Money Made

In buying city lots improved and unimproved. Now is the time to buy as property valuations are increasing daily. We can show you some fine bargains.

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R. O. WHEELER, Manager

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USE IT TODAY AND SAVE DELAY

Other ways of transacting your affairs cannot compare with it in HIGH VALUE LOW PRICE QUICK SERVICE. This is the comprehensive means of communication.

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Telephone Directory.

The New Telephone Directory is being prepared for the Printer. We want your name to appear correctly. Any changes you desire, notify the Manager.

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We keep a full line of prescription goods. We know how and can fill any prescription. We don't substitute. We deliver.

Crescent Drug Store

Dr. F. Z. Holley, Prop.

Pianos We have just received several late styles and would be glad to have you call and inspect.
Organs We can sell you a good organ from \$25 to \$100. \$5 down and \$2 per month. You'll have to hurry.
Sewing Machines A new high grade ball bearing White Sewing Machines at \$22.50 while they last.
Sheet Music We are receiving new music every day. Come and try it on our pianos. Tell us your music troubles. Let us reason together.

Matthews Music Co.

Main Street

Get Acquainted With the Soil



Grow the best of everything for pleasure and profit. FARM AND RANCH will introduce you and direct you on the road to success.

It tells you how in combination with soil and climate to grow the best of every thing—it tells you how to harvest what you grow and more important still, it tells you how to market with greatest profit what you have produced.

It has departments of special interest to each member of the family—father, mother, son, daughter—and each department contains clean, reliable, interesting, instructive, original matter prepared specially for FARM AND RANCH. No second hand or done over articles printed first in other editions or publications.

No whiskey, patent medicine or other injurious fraudulent or unclean advertisements. FARM AND RANCH don't claim in the reading matter to be honest and then through its advertising columns lure you into the clutches of those who will rob you of your money, health or character.

Its Correspondents' Department contains specially prepared articles by successful men and women who tell the soil and know what they write about.

Its Household Department is edited by a woman of experience and ability who is assisted by many of the most learned and reliable women in the Southwest.



"CIVILIZATION BEGINS AND ENDS WITH THE PLOW"—O. M. ROBERTS

The Children's Department is presided over by a mother, assisted by other mothers who know how to make this department more interesting, than any similar department in any other publication. It is not necessary to warn the children not to read the advertisements.

Its Feed and Feed Stuff Department is conducted by editors who have made the subject a special study. Its veterinary department is in charge of leading veterinary surgeons.

It is why the most successful livestock breeders and leaders of the Southwest file each issue of FARM AND RANCH away for future reference. The Editors of every Department are employed because they are known to possess ability and superior knowledge about the topics upon which they are to write.

Its Department of "Farmers' Organizations" is intended to aid in building up organizations run honestly in the interest of actual farmers.

Editorially and every other way its proprietors and editors fight for the right of the producers and will continue to do so. It has no interest in any other publication or business not in direct line with this policy. FARM AND RANCH is the honest man's friend, the home builder's guide. Every home would be benefited by its weekly visits. It costs nothing to learn all about this great family, farm and stock journal. Why not try it in your home?

Write for free sample copy and home test proposition.
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Andrew Carnegie

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PERSONAL MENTION

If you know it tell it or telephone it to The News. Keep in mind that the reporter is gifted with neither omniscience nor obliquity.

W. R. Payne is here from Roff.

W. J. Bryan will be at Sulphur on the 26th.

E. D. Lumsden is on a business trip to Dallas.

Ada tailoring and cleaning works east of postoffice. 48-49

Attend the Methodist revival services at 9:30 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

Miss Robbie Oliphant of Huntsville, Texas, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. R. Mason.

Cleve Harris came in from Madill last night to see his mother who is right sick.

Mr. Hodges a capitalist from Wichita Falls, is in the city investigating opportunity for investment.

The finest thing you ever saw—that ball game, the Clowns vs. Mother Hubbards, at Roff, July 4th.

Paul Robinson of Muskogee is here in the interest of the New State Tribune. C. N. Haskell's paper.

L. T. Walters started the embellishment of fronts in the South Broadway block by painting the front of his undertaking establishment.

A. M. Grez who was bitten by an alleged mad dog last Sunday, and who had applied a mad stone, is on the streets as though it had not occurred.

L. C. Van Ness, H. C. Upham, W. O. Kennedy, E. J. Archmard, and J. H. Smith, all of Oklahoma City, special insurance agents, spent the night in Ada.

S. H. Hamilton of Poteau, J. H. Fretwell of Wheatley, Ark., and W. N. Fretwell of Wilburton, are in the city visiting the latter's son, Baxter. They are also looking out for a location and may move to Ada.

Major J. S. Harris, of the Chapman hotel reached home last night after a month spent in the East. He attended the big confederate reunion at Richmond and the Jamestown exposition, but most of the time he visited in Atlanta Ga.

T. L. Rippey Preaching.

The Methodist revival, is still in progress. The pastor, T. L. Rippey is doing the preaching and special sermons are delivered at each service morning and evening. You are cordially invited to attend these meetings. The text last evening was: "Choose ye this day whom ye will serve." This evening it will be "Sowing and Reaping."

Chapman Brand Shoes

STRICTLY HIGH GRADE GUARANTEED PATENT

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We have the finest line of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes in Ada. You will get better satisfaction and save money in buying shoes at our exclusive shoe store.

CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man

One Year Old Trees in Nursery Full of Luscious Fruit.

The Cales Brothers, proprietors of the Ada nurseries, brought to the News office two remarkable specimens of fruit trees. Each is a one year old budded shrub about a yard high. One is a late peach, called the Champion and has a dozen peaches on it. The other is the "Earl Rivers" and bears seven well developed, ripe peaches.

Mr. Cales says many of his little trees have acted in this precocious manner. Such young trees were never known to bear so much fruit.

Certainly the Ada country is a paradise for peaches.

Tore Up the Telephone.

Lightning tore up the office phone of Drs. Ligon and Kling. It made them "kind o' nervous and onensy," but mindful of the prevalent belief that lightning never strikes twice in the same spot, they have concluded not to move their office.

Married at Enfala.

Word was received by Ada friends this morning announcing the marriage at Enfala last Saturday of Miss Frank Goldsborough and H. M. Burch. The bride at one time lived in Ada and has many warm friends here. Mr. Burch is in the newspaper business at Enfala and is a highly respected citizen of that town. Ada friends extend congratulations and sincere wishes for a life of happiness for the contracting parties.

Dr. Granger and Bride Arrive.

Doctor T. H. Granger arrived last afternoon with his bride from Chamorro, Mo., where they were married some days ago. So profuse have been the congratulations heaped upon the doctor today by his Ada friends that his face wears a sort of fixed smile. The couple has a cordial welcome in Ada. They will go to housekeeping in the doctor's house in South Side Addition.

Mr. Curman Leaves.

S. H. Curman, who has been connected with the U. S. District clerk's office in Ada for some four years, has resigned the office to accept the office of chief of police in his home town, Lawrence, Kansas, to which he was recently appointed. During his sojourn in Ada Mr. Curman has made many friends whose best wishes he bears back home.

Triangular Fight.

Late Thursday afternoon a triangular trouble occurred between Lem Mitchell, Jim Hammond, and Pete Duncan on the sidewalk west of the courthouse. When the aftermath came up to the mayor's court this morning the two first named paid fines, and Duncan's case was dismissed.

Endeavorers Return.

Presnal Sugg, Raymond Barton, and Orel Harper have returned from Oklahoma City whither they and Gilbert Reed went last Sunday to attend the state convention of the society of Christian Endeavor. Gilbert was taken ill up there and was not able to return. His father W. L. Reed, is with him.

The delegates report a most enjoyable and edifying convention. They made an effort to get Indian Territory divided into districts, and succeeded in getting a district composed of Pontotoc, Murray and Johnson counties.

Success in life is accompanied by increase of enemies. That's why Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has so many imitators; it's a success. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

Wright and Berry, tailors, next door to postoffice, for high class work. 48-49

RENCH TOYS FOR BEACH. Are More Elaborate Than Those Made for the American Youngsters.

The toys with which French children play on the beach include a variety of assortment of implements and things to use in the sand at the beach.

First, there is a sand screen, such as you see at the beach, but in miniature, and with a handle at the back, can be set up in like manner on the beach, for screening the sun, and then there is a little hand sieve or sifter which can be used for the same purpose.

With these sets there is a pan to carry sand in, and there are a shovel and a sand scoop to dig with, and there is also a little rake, and besides all these there are little tin molis or forms in the shape of fishes and shells and capital letters of the alphabet; and finally there goes with each set, as part of it, a skipping rope.

Certainly pretty elaborate outfits are the little French sand sets for children.

Uneasy.

"Will your books stand a heavenly audit?" asked the minister. The magnate in the congregation squirmed uneasily. He knew that an unbiased audit wholly earthly would jar him hard enough.—Philadelphia Ledger.

While it is said every thing is going up look at our

REDUCTIONS

Granite Wash pans, the kind usually sold at 20c this week at 5c each.

See our cut prices on Ball Mason Fruit Jars. Pints 59c a doz; quarts 69c a doz; half hillions 79c a doz.

Extra Jar Caps and Rubber porcelain lined. 25c a doz.

Extra Jar Rubbers 5c a doz. Extra heavy jar rubbers 9c per doz.

Jelly Glasses—We have two sizes, 1/2 pints 30c per doz. 3/4 pints 25c per doz.

When you want glassware, queensware, enameledware, tinware, etc., come to see us.

Stoneware—Crocks and jars. Buy all you want here at 6c per gallon.

See our new line of Laces, only 5c per yard.

Handkerchiefs—Extra values in ladies' and gents' handkerchiefs, 5c and 10c.

Umbrellas—For ladies and gents, imitation silk, extra values for \$1.00.

Gloves—We wish to call your attention to our line of gloves. Ladies' mercerized gloves in black, white and colors, 30c a pair.

Saturday Extra Special—We are going to sell while they last another lot of those good four-strand brooms at 10c each. Sold with 25c worth of other goods, one to a customer. Come and see.

The Nickel Store and China Hall.

The 5c and 10c Store of Ada S. M. SHAW, Prop.

QUEER WAYS OF FISHING.

Trout Killed with a Hammer—Masked Lake Fishermen.

"I wore a woolen mask when I caught that fish," said the angler, pointing to a mounted specimen above the sidewalk, "and the thermometer registered 12 degrees below zero at the time. It was on Lake Michigan. On the lakes the summer fishing will aggregate 120,000,000 pounds a season. There is a winter fishing, too, when men in windmills sit over little holes in the thick ice and, at a polar temperature, watch their tleups. They don't catch much, but what they do catch they get seven or eight cents a pound for, and thus it is possible for the winter fishermen to earn \$12 a day. I'd have earned \$17 the day I went out if I had sold my fish. The little carp over the mantel was caught with a mirror. My line had a mirror behind the bait. When a fish approached his own reflection made him think that another fish was about to snatch the bait from him, and he bit greedily. The fine trout above the hole in the carpet I caught with a hammer. What? Yes, a hammer. That is the Georgia way. They wade up and down a stream and whack with a stout sledge every big stone they pass. Then they turn over the stone and find as like as not, a stunned trout underneath."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

BIG FIND OF MEERSCHAUM.

Discovery Does Away With Turkish Government's Monopoly.

Because of the discovery of vast deposits of meerschaum in the mountains of New Mexico it is likely that the monopoly of that mineral heretofore held by the Turkish government will be broken, and prices of that material will be lessened in cost.

Until recently all the meerschaum used in the commerce of the world was produced from a mine in the plains of Eskisheher, Anatoly, Turkey in Asia. In those mines are employed 10,000 men. The output of the mine was owned by the Turkish government and it kept the price up.

It is said that enough meerschaum has been discovered in Grant county, New Mexico, to supply the world's needs.

There is a popular belief that meerschaum is petrified sea foam washed up ages ago and solidified by some strange process of nature. Meerschaum is a mineral known to scientists as "sepiolite." It is composed principally of silica and magnesium. It is found in fissures in the rock, where volcanic action has forced it up to the surface.

Meerschaum is used not only for making tobacco pipes, but because of its unique properties of resisting a high degree of heat and its ready absorption of water, it is put to various electrical and mechanical uses.

In the mines of New Mexico a solid block of meerschaum weighing 42 pounds was taken out. It was the largest block of meerschaum ever mined.—New York Financial News.

WANT COLUMN

Want ads in the News are sure to bring results.

Lost—A new, ivory handled, 45 Coits, long barrel, election six shooter. Liberal reward. Return to News.

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver good residence and business property at "pawm broker prices."

WANTED—Young man or boy to solicit circulation for the Daily and Weekly News. Apply to Business manager News.

WANTED—First-class board and room in private family by couple without children. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Furnished cottage or rooms for housekeeping. State location and price. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Position by a young lady with a thorough knowledge of stenography and bookkeeping. Neat and correct in her work. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver improved and unimproved, both business and residence property, at a "hard up" bargain.

A Childish Trait That Clings to Us in Later Years.

"When we were children," said the head of a big department store, "do you remember how delighted we were with new toys and how quickly we tired of them? I don't suppose that we tired of them quite so quickly as the children do nowadays, for we didn't have quite so many of them. But tire of what we had we did; it's only human nature, you know, to regard a thing as of diminishing importance when once it is in our possession.

"The application of what I'm saying is in relation to the same trait as shown by men and women. A trait which in my business life I've had plenty of opportunities to study. It's all a fallacy about our growing up in every way; there are lots of childish things that we don't outgrow, and never will, and this getting tired of toys is one of them. The toys change, that's all. One of the secrets of establishing successful trade is recognition of this fact. People don't want novelties so much because they are novelties as because a change is welcome, whether in wearing apparel, articles of ornament, house furnishings, or means of conveyance.

"I hate to think what will happen to the automobile business when airships come in. When we are used to a thing, we can't get in the least excited about it, and pleasurable excitement, I think, is what most of us young and old are after in this day and generation. I don't know that, in the last analysis, we are very much worse than our ancestors in this particular, but this age moves more rapidly than any previous one, and naturally, we show the effects. We simply have more chances to be off with the old and on with the new, and it's come to be a point of honor to avail ourselves of these chances up to the limit of our purses."

Treasure Trove in France.

A remarkable case of treasure trove has been reported to the French treasury. The find consisted of two large sacks of French crowns of the reigns of Louis XIII and XIV. They had been brought to light in the course of some excavations carried out in the barracks at Romurantin. They are believed to have been buried under ground for security during the wars and the famine that desolated France in the closing years of the Grand Monarque. The oldest date about 260 years back.

Are You Insured?

IF NOT, WHY NOT?

Hicks predicts tornados during the summer and fires are liable to occur at any time. Therefore you had better prepare yourself against loss by insuring in old reliable companies.

AT

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY

R. O. WHEELER, Manager

When hot and tired and thirsty just stop at Ramsey's and make a noise like

ORANGEADE, Only 5c, Try It.

RAMSEY'S DRUG STORE

Did You Know

That the human body is composed of at least eighty (80) per cent water. If the water you drink is not pure and wholesome your system will be impaired.

We are now agents for the well known "Pal-Pinta" or Texas Carlsbad mineral water, and the now famous "Claremore Radium Water." Let us talk to you about them.

Gwin, Mays & Co.

THE DRUGGISTS.

"We run a drug store and nothing more."

Cosmetics will ruin the complexion. There's no beauty practice equal to the effects of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It keeps the entire body in perfect health. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Ramsey's drug store.

NEW FRISCO TIME CARD

The following new time card is now in effect.

TIME TABLE.

North Bound.

No. 512—Eastern Express, 9:35 a. m.

No. 510—Meteor, 4:55 p. m.

No. 504—St. Louis and Kansas City Passenger, 11:43 p. m.

South Bound.

No. 509—Meteor, 9:11 a. m.

No. 511—Texas Passenger, 8:23 p. m.

CITY OFFICERS.

C. O. Barton, Mayor

Jesse Warren, Recorder, Assessor and Collector

Thos. P. Holt, City Attorney

S. W. Hill, City Treasurer

R. C. Couch, City Marshal

E. S. Collins, Street Commissioner

L. L. Johnson, Water Supt.

H. Brownell, Chief Fire Dept.

Chairmen of Standing Committees

Cemetery, Sanitary and City Park.

J. T. Conn

Finance, W. C. Lee

Fire, R. T. Kerr

Light, J. T. Sutton

Ordinances, T. J. Chambliss

Police Enforcement of Ordinances and Impeachment, A. J. Deaton

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CASH

Is what you want every day. Without you are at the mercy of others when sickness and old comes. Sign a declaration of independence for yourself by starting a savings account with a dollar or two today with the

Ada National Bank

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

FURMAN & CROXTON ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW Will do a general Civil and Criminal Practice. Office in Duncan Building.

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Rooms 1, 2 and 3 1st Nat'l Bank B'g.

DR. T. W. CHADWICK, VETERINARY SURGEON AND DENTIST. Is now located at the Texas Wagon Yard. Examination free. Residence phone 305; Office phone 306.

The come and go feeling that you experience after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is simply wonderful. Drugs increase your weakness. This remedy does the business. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Busy Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Rheumatism, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Stomach Bowels, Headache and Neuritis. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis. GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE.

CURB AND CURE FOR MEN AND WOMEN. Use this for an natural remedy for all diseases, irritations or ulcerations of mucous membranes. Female Catarrh, Gonorrhea, and not self-treatment or poisoning. Sold by Druggists, or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for \$1.00, or 3 bottles \$2.75. Circular sent on request.

THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE

Hereby is announced the Mason Drug Co., a candidate for the most popular drug store in Pontotoc county, subject to the action and approval of all the people who want PURE DRUGS, HONEST PRICES, and a square deal. And this candidate will be an easy winner.

ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Is given up to be best. Do Largest Agency Work of any plant in this Territory.

Want A Bath?

Then get a good clean one, Hot or Cold, at High & Litzman's Barber Shop, next door to English Kitchen.



When you want to enjoy a good appetizing meal at a moderate charge, come to the

English Kitchen

Everything strictly first class and clean. Once you eat here you'll become a regular patron.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure by local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proved catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Takes Hall's Family pills for Constipation.

MURDERERS' SCHEME NOW IS INSANITY

The Practice Might Almost Be Classed as a Fine Art--How It Has Been Successfully Done, with Legal Assistance, in Some Celebrated New York Cases.

New York — It's a shame! Here I was ready to go to trial with my murder case this morning and that fool of a client of mine had to go to work and get a shave and a haircut. Now I can't have him tried for two months. He got to wait now until the vacation season is over. I'll make sure that he does not shave any more while I have anything to do with his defense.

I was coming out of the criminal courts building when I ran into a lawyer, an old acquaintance—he is one of the best known criminal lawyers in this country—who appeared to me as though he was about mad enough to

The prosecutor consulted the judge on the bench. He said he was willing. The prisoner was arraigned once more.

Defendant at the bar called out Clerk Penney, you say you chance your plea of not guilty of murder in the first degree, heretofore interposed in your case and now plead guilty to murder in the second degree. Is that your plea?

"It is," came the response from the prisoner at the bar.

Two months before that—right after the shave and hair cut—no such plea would have been accepted. Death in the electric chair was then the only

is a fit subject for an insane asylum. They called him the "crazy cop."

But the district attorney won his point. The jury found the policeman guilty of murder in the first degree. There was nothing else for the judge to do than to sentence the man to be electrocuted at Sing Sing. Ennis heard the sentence and acted as though he did not know what was happening. They took him to Sing Sing. He was weak and broken in health. He was placed in one of the steel cages in the death house and there the man sat, in almost utter silence, for nearly two years while his case was being passed upon by the highest court in the state.

During all these days and months while Ennis was confined in the death house he never spoke to one of the other condemned men. Although they tried their best to entertain the convicted policeman he never spoke to them. When the warden and the keepers attempted to draw him into a conversation Ennis would mumble some thing that they could not understand. He would sit all day and long into the night always in a crouching position. When once a week they would open his cell door and tell him to step out side that he might be bathed and shaved. He would huddle about as if he was a wild beast. But never a word did he utter. At first he refused to take food. After a while he ate but sparingly only. He wasted away terribly.

The Chloroform Test.

Dr. Irvine, the expert physician of the prison, was among the few who seemed to be in doubt as to whether Ennis' mind was really affected or not. His case was widely discussed among experts, but here was a kind of insanity that was up to that time practically unknown.

One day there came word from Albany that the court of appeals had confirmed the sentence and conviction of the lower court, and that the death sentence must be carried out according to law. Warden Johnson was puzzled.

Warden Johnson, who is a very conscientious man, reported to the governor and the latter, in order that no injustice should be done and an insane man made to suffer the death penalty, appointed a commission composed of leading experts in insanity and they went to Sing Sing and looked at Ennis. They questioned the warden and the keepers and from them learned the story I have narrated here.

If we can only get his mind off the subject, said the doctors. "If he is shamming we can find it out only by getting his mind off the subject."

They carried Ennis out of the death house and up to the operating room in the hospital inside of the prison walls. There they placed him on an operating table and the chloroform was administered. They gave him a small

"Gentlemen," he stammered, "yes, you have found me out. But you would not have done so had you not put me under chloroform. Now I'm glad it's over and I am ready to take my medicine. You cannot imagine what I have suffered during all these long months while I was trying to beat the chair. Now I am glad the end is at hand."

I well remember the case of Martin Thorne, the barber, who, together with Augusta Nack, a midwife, killed William Guldensuppe, a rubber in a Turkish bath. William F. Howe, the veteran criminal lawyer, was his senior counsel. Joseph Moss, now a magistrate, and at that time also connected with the firm of Howe & Hummel, was also of counsel. I sat next to Thorne during his trial, which took place in Long Island City and later on I saw him electrocuted at Sing Sing.

There was nobody at that time who understood more about putting up the tight kind of defense than did the veteran Howe. I remember going to him just as the trial was about to start and asking him what kind of a defense Thorne would put up.

"Ah my boy," said Mr. Howe to me, "I don't know myself. That is it all depends upon circumstances. In the first place we (the always spoke of his client as we) 'did not commit the crime. Therefore you see—and quite readily too—that we are innocent of this most awful charge that a grand jury, guided by a misinformed district attorney, has declared against us."

A short time after the commencement of the trial Mrs. Nack announced that she would turn state's evidence. She confessed all and swore that Thorne had committed the murder.

I was assigned that night to notify Mr. Howe of what had occurred. I found him in an up town hotel. He had retired when the bellboy took up my card. I was asked to "Come right in, my boy."

I told him that the woman in the case had confessed that Thorne had killed Guldensuppe and that she had helped the man to dispose of the body of the victim.

"What are you going to do now about the defense?" I inquired.

"I have it! I have it!" all at once shouted Mr. Howe looking as happy as a schoolboy with a new toy. What do you think of it?"

The only thing left you is insanity. I suggested.

And that is where you are wrong," replied Mr. Howe. I told you I had it. Here is our new defense. I knew it all the while. Now please don't think that I just manufactured it.

Why of course we know all the time that this was the body of Guldensuppe. Although the head was missing. We know too who killed the man. We did not. She did. Yes she did. All we had to do with the case was to

TIMBER KING WALKER.

MULTIMILLIONAIRE OF WHOM LITTLE IS KNOWN.

Could Become One of World's Richest Men by Forming Lumber Trust Which He Opposes—Proud of His Five Sons.

Minneapolis, Minn.—"I have no respect for men whose sole object is gain and control over other men for their own personal aggrandizement. Such a purpose in life is false, and contempt is its just due. I shall, if possible, make such an arrangement as will forever prevent the lands which I now own from passing into the control of those who might abuse them to the people who require their products."

This is the remarkable utterance of a man whose wealth is estimated at at least \$40,000,000 and who, though inconspicuous ranks among the nation's richest captains of industry. By the single stroke of his pen Thomas Barlow Walker, who owns more timber land than any other man in the country, might stack his millions in equal numbers with those of John D. Rockefeller or Andrew Carnegie.

Like all men of vast wealth estimates of Mr. Walker's wealth vary. Some place it as high as \$100,000,000 but \$40,000,000 is a very conservative estimate.

In an interview at his home, in this city, the timber king discussed the great economic question of the day and explained his own position. Despite his enormous wealth he is little known outside of his immediate business and home circles.

In lumber circles the unsolved question has been why a lumber trust was not formed along the lines of other big industrial corporations. In an interview Mr. Walker gave the answer, for the first time publicly. He said:

"As long as I live there will never be a timber trust if I can prevent it. I have been approached repeatedly to head a combination that would control practically all the lumber supply of the United States and Canada. I have as often positively refused to even consider the proposition."

Mr. Walker is the largest individual owner of timber beyond question.

When asked about his five sons and their association with his enterprises, a great pride shone in his eyes.

Yes, the boys run the business now. As they returned home from school they entered into my business with me and to day they understand it so thoroughly that I really believe I am no longer necessary to its continued success.

Each son manages departments that in themselves singly constitute vast business enterprises such as many millioned men would view with envy.

Fletcher L. has entire management of the great Minnesota timber tracts and lumber mills.

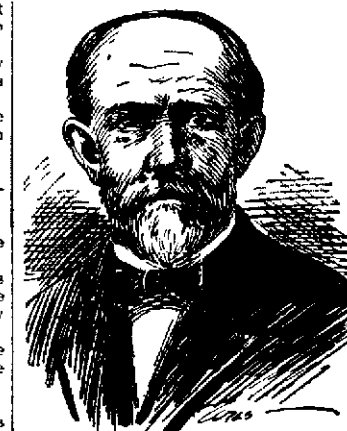
Clinton has absolute charge of the California timber tract. Very little development work has been done there yet, and a herculean task confronts him.

Gilbert M. spent many years on Minnesota timber tracts and finally assisted his father in an advantageous sale to a competing concern.

Willis J. conducts his father's personal affairs and manages the finances.

Archie Dean manages the Walker real estate interests. Millions of dollars are invested in Minneapolis realty alone. Archie had no fixed name until at six he was allowed to choose it for himself.

"Here is my favorite corner," he said, as we passed through his library.



THOMAS B. WALKER. (Timber King Who is Strongly Opposed to a Lumber Trust.)

indicating a case in which the volumes were more worn than the rest.

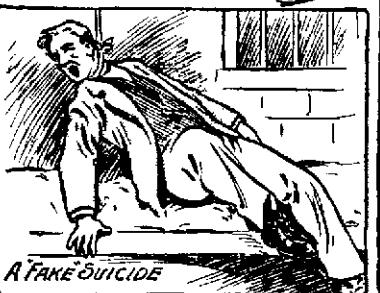
"What is the general theme?"

"Sociology. I love the study of political, religious and industrial problems the world over. I can never tell which affords me the greatest pleasure and interest—these old volumes or my pictures."

Mr. Walker opened his great gallery to the public several years ago. There are no closed days and no admission was ever charged. Even catalogues are furnished visitors free.

His home, built years ago, is simple and comparatively small. Its associations are dearer to him than a gilded palace. Many comfortable benches are placed in the edge of the lawn, and here the people are welcome to come and sit beneath the shade. While his charitable and philanthropic work is done quietly, it is extensive and he is the main supporter of certain institutions in his city.

"EXPERTS" EXAMINING A "FAKIR."

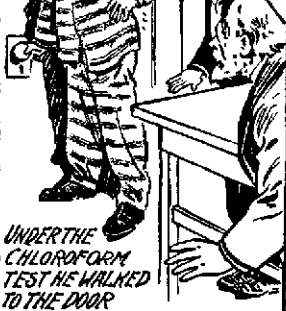


A FAKE SUICIDE



A FAVORITE DODGE—REFUSING TO EAT.

ENNIS SAT ALL DAY LONG AND FAR INTO THE NIGHT IN DOGGED SILENCE



UNDER THE CHLOROFORM TEST HE WALKED TO THE DOOR



"HEARING VOICES" THE PLEA OF JOSEPHINE TERRANOVA.

jump out of his skin with Gus Roeder in the New York World.

"What's the matter this morning?" I inquired.

Nothing the matter, he replied. "Only here I was ready for the trial of that man I was assigned to look after on the charge of homicide and that fool has spoiled my defense."

The lawyer explained. The case was one of cold blooded murder. It was a homicide committed while in the act of committing a burglary. The defendant was an old timer. The district attorney was looking for a conviction of murder in the first degree, the punishment of which is death in the electric chair. The lawyer who had been assigned to defend the man surely was "up against it."

"My man was insane at the time of the shooting," said the attorney. The district attorney laughed when he heard about the kind of defense that was to be offered.

Two months later the prisoner was brought to court again. What a change! I was unable to identify the man. His hair was long and looked as though a comb had never passed through it. There was a two months growth of reddish beard on his face. His eyes were staring. Altogether the defendant appeared more like a monster than a human being.

The Ruse That Worked.

"No use trying him, he's not right in his upper story," said the lawyer to the assistant district attorney in charge. The prosecutor seemed to have his doubts. In order to go to trial in the case it was necessary to get a jury, and then there was some doubt as to whether, after all, a conviction of murder in the first degree could be secured.

"Will you take a plea of guilty of murder in the second degree?" asked the lawyer.

solution of the case. But two months under the guidance of the experienced attorney at law had made an absolutely positive change for the better. The miserable life of the prisoner was saved by a method that is only too often applied to cases which are considered defensible. The defendant instead of being put to death is now serving a life sentence in Sing Sing. There are others of his kind there. Nobody knows that better than does the shrewd Connaughton, the principal keeper of the prison or as he is often called the P. K.

It is not always that the murderer succeeds in carrying his shamming game to a successful termination. I recall well the case of Policeman William H. Ennis. His is considered the most remarkable of all the shamming cases that ever came under the observation of the officials in Sing Sing. Ennis was a Brooklyn policeman. He was a married man and as far as his police record went a good policeman. But he would get drunk and when he was in his cups there was no telling what he would do.

The bluecoat and his wife did not get along well. Some said it was a case of "too much mother in law." Whether that be true or not Ennis shot and killed his wife and then shot his mother in law who recovered. When arrested Ennis shammed suicidal mania. He was put on trial, nevertheless. His defense was insanity. He was convicted. Throughout the entire trial the fellow sat beside his counsel as though in a trance. His lawyer pleaded and pleaded with great earnestness. Alienists swore the policeman was surely mad. His friends also testified that in their opinion he was of unsound mind. Ennis never said a word. There were many in that crowded courtroom who, after looking at the man, insisted that he was sure-

dose only just enough to make him unconscious for a short while. As the chloroform was beginning to wear off Dr. Irvine suddenly pushed the man off the operating table so that he struck the floor with a thud. This awakened the "crazy cop" in a jiffy.

Get up and hurry over to that door," commanded Mr. Connaughton, who was present during the experiment.

Ennis walked to the door, just as you or I would, in a natural way. He had forgotten all about the hobbling and the crouching—and that was his undoing.

"Oh, you fakir!" yelled the experts and Connaughton. "You fakir! We found you out!"

The moment Ennis realized that he had been caught "with the goods on," as "Big Bill" Devery would have said had he been on hand, he turned as white as a sheet. Nobody realized better than he did that his end was at hand.

help her, out of pure gallantry, to dispose of the body. That is no crime. She did the killing, nothing else. That is our defense!"

Thorn went on the witness stand and told the story just as Mr. Howe had outlined it to me. But the jury did not believe him, and convicted the barber of murder in the first degree.

The Reason.

F. A. Busse, Chicago's new mayor, had been complimented by a reporter on the direct, terse quality of a statement he had given out.

"I am a believer in brevity," said Mr. Busse, smiling. "The fewer words you say a thing in, the stronger and more striking is that thing's effect."

"Once I knew a man who hated the Swiss."

"Why, Jake, I said to him one day, 'you astound me. You hate the Swiss, yet here you are married to a Swiss wife.'"

"Yes, and Jake, that's the reason."

STATUE TO ENSIGN BAGLEY.

Memorial to Young Naval Lieutenant Erected by North Carolina.

Raleigh, N. C.—North Carolina now has raised two monuments to her son.



Ensign Bagley Monument.

dier dead in the brief war with Spain. The first was to Lieut. William E. Shipp, of the Ninth cavalry, who was shot and instantly killed by a Mauser bullet at the storming of San Juan hill in Cuba.

A few days ago the state erected another memorial to an officer who happened by fate's decree to be the only one of the naval branch of the service to meet death in that war. This was Ensign Worth Bagley, to whom death came in the Bay of Cardenas, Cuba. The monument to Shipp is at Charlotte. That to Bagley adorns the Capitol square at Raleigh, his native city.

Ensign Bagley was born in Raleigh, April 7, 1874, his father, who had been a major in the confederate service, being at that time grand master of the North Carolina Odd Fellows. His mother was a granddaughter of Gov. Jonathan Worth. On both sides the families are thoroughly representative, and have so been from the colonial days. On June 30, 1893, he was appointed to the United States Naval academy after a competitive examination. He was made an ensign July 1, 1897. He served on the cruiser Montgomery, on the battleship Texas and then on the Maine. When Lieut. Bernadu took com-

mand of the torpedo boat Winslow he chose Bagley as his lieutenant, the latter having been recommended by many officers for fitness. He began his duties on the Winslow December 28, 1897.

O'BRIEN TO BE TRANSFERRED.

Minister to Denmark Will Succeed Ambassador Wright.

Washington.—The state department has formally announced that Thomas J. O'Brien of Grand Rapids, Mich., United States minister to Copenhagen, will become ambassador to Japan in September on the retirement of Luke D. Wright of Tennessee who has given notice to the department that he wishes to leave the service at that time.

Mr. O'Brien is 65 years old and a native of Jackson, Mich. At one time he had the reputation of being the ablest lawyer in Michigan, outside of Detroit. For years he was chief counsel of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, and a director in the road as well. He was never a candidate for office except in 1883, when he was nominated for supreme court justice and went down to defeat with the whole Republican ticket in the land slide of that year. He led his ticket, however with a handsome vote. He was a delegate to the national con-



THOMAS J. O'BRIEN. (Minister to Denmark Raised to Japanese Post.)

vention of 1896 that nominated McKinley and was a member of the committee that officially notified McKinley of his nomination.

Ananias Far Outclassed.

"Pop, who is this man Ananias there is so much talk about?" "Ananias was a man of ancient times whose record has been so lowered in these days that he is probably sorry he ever got in the game."

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The Title is Perfect and the Location Sightly and Healthful. Get on Easy Street by Buying Lots in Portland Park. Homes in the Reach of All in Portland Park Addition. Plant your Money in Portland Park and let it Grow.

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Only room for 80 families in Portland Park while hundreds will be needed. This is the only land that will be available for years. Have you seen Ada lots advance one hundred and even one thousand per cent, while you waited to see what the town would do? Take a tumble to yourself and buy lots in Portland Park. These lots are being sold at half their real value and on terms within the reach of all.

Ada Title and Trust Co.

Read The News Want Ads.

AN ELECTRIC LINE FOR ADA

Also Great Summer Resort for Byrd's Mill--New York Capitalist Promoter --Big Developments Looked For

It is learned that J. C. Cameron, a New York capitalist, who was a leading pioneer promoter of Sulphur as a summer resort, has recently purchased from Frank Byrd the Byrd's mill property, including a two hundred acre tract of land and will make extensive investments there and build an attractive summer resort.

Mr. Cameron is a brother-in-law of former Governor David B. Dill and brother of the famous Don Cameron. It is said he has disposed of his extensive interests in Sulphur and is now in Old Mexico building a big pleasure and health resort.

Until his return nothing definite can be stated touching the enterprise. But it is known that a year ago he took an option on the Byrd's Mill property with it in view to make of it a popular resort. He is experienced in the value of such sites and knows that as a natural park it is far superior to the site on which Sulphur was built. Scarcely could there be found a more picturesque region anywhere, and there are crystal springs and waterfalls in great abundance.

What concerns Ada more particularly--to put this projected resort in easy reach would necessitate an electric line, and Ada is the logical point for such a line to reach railroad connections. Byrd's Mill or Crystal Springs as it is also known by--is

about thirteen miles south of Ada.

It develops also that parties are already projecting such an electric line, beginning at Main street at the M. K. & T. depot, traversing this street to western limit, thence via the Cement plant, crossing the Oklahoma Central Ry. on to the Cement Company's quarry seven miles from town. When the cement plant begins operation there will be quite a little village on the site of the quarry. From the quarry it is only six miles up the valley to Byrd's Mill--magnificent scenery all the way.

This enterprise contemplates considerable freight traffic from the Oklahoma Central to town, forming a connection with the central now two miles away and Ada's other roads and her manufacturing enterprises, including the cement plant, the oil mill, the compress, etc.

The project seems quite feasible and attractive. It is said the Ada Electric Light plant has capacity to furnish power for the line. Completed and equipped with rolling stock, it is estimated that the electric road would cost, then, only about \$12,000 per mile. Such a line, furthermore, would furnish a basis for a street car system later on when Ada grows some.

Within the next few weeks some more definite developments may be looked for.

KILLING AT MILL CREEK

Former City Marshal Shot Bud English in Waco Jim's Joint--Deceased Once Under Indictment in Ada Court for Murder

Intelligence reached the U. S. marshal's office at Ada Thursday night of a killing at Mill Creek late in the afternoon.

It was reported that M. L. Moore shot and killed Bud English in Waco Jim's pool hall. The tragedy is said to have grown out of an old grudge. It seems that Moore while city marshal of Mill Creek arrested English several times on whiskey charges, and that the utmost ill feeling existed between the two. Moore, formerly city

marshal in mill creek, was a candidate for sheriff in the recent primary in Johnson county.

English was a notorious character in this country. Several years ago he was under indictment in the U. S. court at Ada for killing Bill Cain, a deputy U. S. Marshal, 13 or 14 years ago. The case, among the first docketed in the Ada court, was dismissed for want of jurisdiction. Moore was taken to Tishomingo where his case will be triable.

MRS. CURRIE'S FATHER DEAD

Distinguished Lawyer passed away in Livingston, Tenn.

Livingston, Tenn., June 15.--(Special) Judge Winburn W. Goodpasture of this place, has been critically ill for several days, and his family is much alarmed over his condition. He is 78 years old, and is one of the best known lawyers and jurists of Tennessee. He has served with distinguished ability both the Chancery division and Judicial circuit as chancellor and Circuit judge, and has the reputation of being one of the best learned jurists of the state. He has lived in this county practically all his long life. No man among us is better known, and none was more generally and warmly loved. He is the personification of the highest, purest and noblest manhood, and his loss to this community would be irreparable. We but voice the prayerful sentiment of this entire section of the state when we express the hope of his early and complete recovery--Nashville American.

LATER--We have been advised that the subject of the above sketch died Wednesday, the 19th inst., at 5:40 a. m.

Judge Goodpasture was the father of Mrs. W. G. Currie, of this city, and had many friends (former resi-

dents of his section of Tenn.), in this county. Mrs. Currie was at the bedside of her father at his decease, and, with her family, has our sincere sympathy in her sore affliction.

REMARIED ON DEATH BED

Fearful Indian Rites Might Not Hold Good in Court.

Tulsa, I. T., June 21.--A marriage license was yesterday issued to Joseph Koons and Lucinda Koons, who were married 26 years ago under the Creek Indian form. The Koonses are wealthy white people, and have several children of marriageable age. The record of their Creek marriage was destroyed in a fire some time ago and the old gentleman is probably on his death bed. Hence, that their children may be subjected to no legal entanglements in reference to their property in case of the father's death, the old people decided to remarry, after the manner prescribed by Uncle Sam.

Some years ago congress legalized the marriages under the old tribal forms and the marriage of the Koonses without doubt stands as a safeguard in any question of law. It is likely that their example in having an official marriage performed will be followed by others in a similar situation.

25 Per Cent From the Regular Price

This sale will positively last no longer than Saturday, June 22.

See what you can save by taking advantage of the discount

Blue Serges in two pieces, our former price	\$12.50	3-Piece suits, our former price	\$10.00
On sale now for	\$9.38	Now on sale for	\$7.50
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Just received the Silver Brand up-to-date Negligee Shirts, and the Gold Brand

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PRAISE FOR ADA

From Observing Visitor.

During the four score years of my sojourns and observations between the Niagara Falls and El Paso, Texas, York, Ohio, Kentucky, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Oklahoma and forty years in Texas, I have never before been able to say to the credit of any other town, as much as I can say, do say, and with pride shall continue to say, both here and elsewhere, to the credit of the town of Ada, Indian Territory.

I have now been a visitor in this town more than two months, and having no business to claim my attention, I have amused myself by visiting on tours of inquiry and observation, the numerous public works and plants of special enterprise; such as the great Portland Cement plant, the water works, brick yards, and have attended here one general election, and no where since I first came here, have I ever heard uttered an oath or a curse, I have not heard an unkind word spoken by anyone; I have seen no frowns upon anyone's face; I have seen no tramps or vagabonds; neither have I seen any person apparently un-

der the influence of intoxicating liquor.

These remarks are intended to apply equally well to all ages, classes and conditions of society, moral, social, spiritual and industrial.

Everybody in Ada has been very kind to me. They all realize that I am but a transient visitor, very soon to leave here with no prospect of returning, and I can therefore make no other returns than to leave with them a sincere expression of my best wishes.

May the Goddess of Fortune with her infinite treasure

As a matter of justice ever bear in mind

In dispensing her bounty to bestow a large measure

On these people, so very deserving and kind

When I shall have left here and gone far away

Other missions of business to meet and fulfill

I shall kindly remember and earnestly pray

For these friends who have shown me such hearty good will.

Dr. C. M. Bell of Tehuacana, Texas.

The G. W. Andreau Amusement Co., will be here next week with a high class and clean street show. They carry forty people and have their own special train.

Ada Evening News

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GREAT FEAST DAY FOR PONTOTOC'S PEOPLE.

Every citizen of Ada should lend his support both moral and substantial to the big celebration on the 4th of July and when the historic day arrives every one should shut up his doors, eschew business, put on holiday attire and give himself up entirely to an appropriate observance of the glorious Fourth.

Ada is now all but a full fledged county seat. Enjoying the prestige belonging to it as the metropolis and capital of Pontotoc county, Ada should arrange to royally entertain all the people of the county at least once a year. This being an agricultural country, probably July 4th is the most convenient day each year on this day the people of Ada should play the glorious host to the rest of Pontotoc's people—should prepare a great feast such as a free barbecue and accessory entertainment and receive their neighbors with open arms. This annual reception should not be half hearted or perfunctory. It should be

wholesome or not at all every resident of Ada on that day should feel that he is individually responsible for every visitor having a good time. Permit no one to look bored. If you see anybody you don't know introduce yourself and introduce others.

The News is glad the Woodmen of the World started the movement for a big barbecue and picnic on the 4th.

Let it this year be the beginning of a beautiful custom, a great annual county picnic—so firmly established that every person in the county when July 4th comes around will understand without further invitation that he and his family are expected in Ada and that if they stay away they will be missed and thought hard of.

By all means we must have an annual people's festival day.

110,000 VOTES IN PRIMARY

Such is the Estimate of Secretary Chapman of the Democratic Committee.

Oklahoma City, June 21.—I believe when the ballots are all received that fully 110,000 votes were cast in the recent democratic primary election and we already know from the returns that from 6,000 to 10,000 more votes were cast at the primary than

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Editorially and every other way its proprietors and editors fight for the right of the producers and will continue to do so. It has no interest in any other publication or business not in direct line with this policy. FARM AND RANCH is the honest man's friend, the home builder's guide. Every home would be benefited by its weekly visits. It costs nothing to learn all about this great family, farm and stock journal. Why not try it in your home?

Farm and Ranch or Holland's Magazine and The Weekly News one year for \$1.50. Send in your subscriptions at once.

In the constitutional delegate election last fall, said W. L. Chapman, secretary of the democratic state central committee.

In view of the fact that one half of the counties in the new state were unorganized, it is a wonder that the returns were as complete as they were for only the counties of Cimarron and Logan remain unreported.

It is reported that there were only 716 votes cast in Logan county and Logan democrats were so down cast by the small party vote that they will not make a report to the committee.

A very surprising fact in connection with the vote on United States Senators is that while 106,000 votes were recorded in Oklahoma, only 99,000 votes were cast for this office in Indian Territory.

DEPARTMENTS TO UNITE

Ex-confederates of Two Territories Will Amalgamate.

The confederate veterans of the departments of Oklahoma and Indian Territory will hold a joint reunion at South McAlester August 19, 20 and 21 at which time will be effected the amalgamation of the two departments in view of impending statehood.

General John W. Gordon, commander of the department of Indian Territory was in Oklahoma yesterday in conference with General John Threadgill, commander of the department of Oklahoma, and as a result of the conference the dates and place of meeting were arranged.

It is expected that this joint meeting, marking the union of the two divisions, will be one of the largest gatherings of veterans of the gray ever held in either of territories—Oklahoman.

Andrew Carnegie

Says the best way to accumulate money is to resolutely save and bank a fixed portion of your income, no matter how small the amount.

Suppose you follow the advice of Carnegie who started in life poor and open an account with

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PERSONAL MENTION

If you know it tell it or telephone it to The News. Keep in mind that the reporter is gifted with neither omniscience nor obligity.

W. R. Payne is here from Roff.

W. J. Bryan will be at Sulphur on the 26th.

E. D. Lumsden is on a business trip to Dallas.

Ada tailoring and cleaning works east of postoffice. 48-49

Attend the Methodist revival services at 9:30 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

Miss Robbie Oliphant of Huntsville, Texas, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. R. Mason.

Cleve Harris came in from Madrid last night to see his mother who is right sick.

Mr. Hodges a capitalist from Wichita Falls, is in the city investigating opportunity for investment.

The finest thing you ever saw—that ball game, the Clowns vs. Mother Hubbards, at Roff, July 4th.

Paul Robinson of Muskogee is here in the interest of the New State Tribune. C. N. Haskell's paper.

L. T. Walters started the embellishment of fronts in the South Broadway block by painting the front of his undertaking establishment.

A. M. Grege who was bitten by an alleged mad dog last Sunday, and who had applied a mad stone, is on the streets as though it had not occurred.

L. C. Van Ness, H. C. Upham, W. O. Kennedy, E. J. Archard, and J. H. Smith, all of Oklahoma City, special insurance agents, spent the night in Ada.

S. H. Hamilton of Poteau, J. H. Fretwell of Wheatley, Ark., and W. N. Fretwell of Wiburton, are in the city visiting the latter's son, Baxter. They are also looking out for a location and may move to Ada.

Major I. S. Harris, of the Chapman hotel reached home last night after a month spent in the East. He attended the big confederate reunion at Richmond and the Jamestown exposition, but most of the time he visited in Atlanta Ga.

T. L. Rippey Preaching.

The Methodist revival, is still in progress. The pastor, T. L. Rippey is doing the preaching and special sermons are delivered at each service morning and evening. You are cordially invited to attend these meetings. The text last evening was: "Choose ye this day whom ye will serve." This evening it will be "Sowing and Reaping."

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CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man

One Year Old Trees in Nursery Full of Luscious Fruit.

The Cales Brothers, proprietors of the Ada nurseries, brought to the News office two remarkable specimens of fruit trees. Each is a one year old budded shrubs about a yard high. One is a late peach, called the Champion and has a dozen peaches on it. The other is the "Earl Rivers" and bears seven well developed, ripe peaches.

Mr. Cales says many of his little trees have acted in this precocious manner. Such young trees were never known to bear so much fruit.

Certainly the Ada country is a paradise for peaches.

Tore Up the Telephone.

Lightning tore up the office phone of Drs. Ligon and King. It made them "kind of nervous and uneasy," but mindful of the prevalent belief that lightning never strikes twice in the same spot, they have concluded not to move their office.

Married at Eufala.

Word was received by Ada friends this morning announcing the marriage at Eufala last Saturday of Miss Frank Goldsborough and H. M. Burch. The bride at one time lived in Ada and has many warm friends here. Mr. Burch is in the newspaper business at Eufala and is a highly respected citizen of that town. Ada friends extend congratulations and sincere wishes for a life of happiness for the contracting parties.

Dr. Granger and Bride Arrive.

Doctor T. H. Granger arrived last afternoon with his bride from Chamolito, Mo., where they were married some days ago. So profuse have been the congratulations heaped upon the doctor today by his Ada friends that his face wears a sort of fixed smile. The couple has a cordial welcome in Ada. They will go to housekeeping in the doctor's house in South Side Addition.

Mr. Carmean Leaves.

S. H. Carmean, who has been connected with the U. S. District clerk's office in Ada for some four years, has resigned the office to accept the office of chief of police in his home town, Lawrence, Kansas, to which he was recently appointed. During his sojourn in Ada Mr. Carmean has made many friends whose best wishes he bears back home.

Triangular Fight.

Late Thursday afternoon a triangular trouble occurred between Lem Mitchell, Jim Hammond, and Pete Duncan on the sidewalk west of the courthouse. When the aftermath came up in the mayor's court this morning the two first named paid fines, and Duncan's case was dismissed.

Endeavorers Return.

Presnal Suggs, Raymond Barton, and Orvil Harper have returned from Oklahoma City whither they and Gilbert Reed went last Sunday to attend the state convention of the society of Christian Endeavor. Gilbert was taken ill up there and was not able to return. His father W. L. Reed, is with him.

The delegates report a most enjoyable and edifying convention. They made an effort to get Indian Territory divided into districts, and succeeded in getting a district composed of Pontotoc, Murray and Johnson counties.

Success in life is accompanied by increase of enemies. That's why Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has so many imitators; it's a success. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

Wright and Berry, tailors, next door to postoffice, for high class work. 48-49

RENCH TOYS FOR BEACH.
Are More Elaborate Than Those Made for the American Youngsters.

The toys with which French children play on the beach include a variety of assortment of implements and appliances to use in the sand at the seashore.

There is a sand screen, such as has been used, but in miniature, and which with a brush at the back, can be set up in like manner on the beach, for screening the suit, and then there is a little hand sieve or sifter which can be used for the same purpose.

With these sets there is a pan to carry sand in, and there are a shovel and a sand scoop to dig with, and there is also a little rake, and besides all these there are little tin molds or forms in the shape of fishes and shells and capital letters of the alphabet; and finally there goes with each set, as part of it, a skipping rope.

Certainly pretty elaborate outfits are the little French sand sets for children.

Uneasy.
"Will your boys stand a heavenly audit?" asked the minister.

The magnate in the congregation squirmed uneasily.

He knew that an unbiased audit wholly earthly would jar him hard enough.—Philadelphia Ledger.

While it is said every thing is going up look at our

REDUCTIONS

Granite Wash pans, the kind usually sold at 20c this week at 5c each.

See our cut prices on Ball Mason Fruit Jars. Pints 59c a doz.; quarts 69c a doz.; half gallons 79c a doz.

Extra Jar Caps and Rubber porcelain lined. 25c a doz.

Extra Jar Rubbers 5c a doz. Extra heavy jar rubbers 9c per doz.

Jelly Glasses—We have two sizes, 1/2 pints 30c per doz. 1/4 pints 25c per doz.

When you want glassware, queensware, enameledware, tinware, etc., come to see us.

Stoneware—Cocks and jars. Buy all you want here at 5c per gallon.

See our new line of Laces, only 5c per yard.

Handkerchiefs—Extra values in ladies' and gents' handkerchiefs, 5c and 10c.

Umbrellas—For ladies and gents, imitation silk, extra values for \$1.00.

Gloves—We wish to call your attention to our line of gloves. Ladies' mercerized gloves in black, white and colors, 30c a pair.

Saturday Extra Special—We are going to sell while they last another lot of those good four-strand brooms at 10c each. Sold with 25c worth of other goods, one to a customer. Come and see.

The Nickel Store

and China Hall.
The 5c and 10c Store of Ada
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QUEER WAYS OF FISHING.

Trout Killed with a Hammer—Masked Lake Fishermen.

"I wore a woolen mask when I caught that fish," said the angler, pointing to a mounted specimen above the sideboard, "and the thermometer registered 12 degrees below zero at the time. It was on Lake Michigan. On the lakes the summer fishing will aggregate 130,000,000 pounds a season. There is a winter fishing, too, when men in windmasks sit over little holes in the thick ice and, at a polar temperature, watch their tipples. They don't catch much, but what they do catch they get seven or eight cents a pound for, and thus it is possible for the winter fishermen to earn \$12 a day. I'd have earned \$17 the day I went out if I had sold my fish. The little carp over the mantel was caught with a mirror. My line had a mirror behind the bait. When a fish approached his own reflection made him think that another fish was about to snatch the bait from him, and he bit greedily. The fine trout above the hole in the carpet I caught with a hammer. What? Yes, a hammer. That is the Georgia way. They waded up and down a stream and whack with a stout sledge every big stone they pass. Then they turn over the stone and find as like as not, a stunned trout underneath."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

BIG FIND OF MEERSCHAUM.

Discovery Does Away With Turkish Government's Monopoly.

Because of the discovery of vast deposits of meerschaum in the mountains of New Mexico it is likely that the monopoly of that mineral heretofore held by the Turkish government will be broken, and pipes of that material will be lessened in cost. Until recently all the meerschaum used in the commerce of the world was produced from a mine in the plains of Eskihisler, Anatoly, Turkey in Asia. In those mines are employed 10,000 men. The output of the mine was owned by the Turkish government and it kept the price up.

It is said that enough meerschaum has been discovered in Grant county, New Mexico, to supply the world's needs.

There is a popular belief that meerschaum is petrified sea foam washed up ages ago and solidified by some strange process of nature. Meerschaum is a mineral known to scientists as "sepiolite." It is composed principally of silica and magnesium. It is found in fissures in the rock, where volcanic action has forced it up to the surface.

Meerschaum is used not only for making tobacco pipes, but because of its unique properties of resisting a high degree of heat and its ready absorption of water, it is put to various electrical and mechanical uses.

In the mines of New Mexico a solid block of meerschaum weighing 42 pounds was taken out. It was the largest block of meerschaum ever mined.—New York Financial News.

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A Childish Trait That Clings to Us in Later Years.

"When we were children," said the head of a big department store, "do you remember how delighted we were with new toys and how quickly we tired of them? I don't suppose that we tired of them quite so quickly as the children do nowadays, for we didn't have quite so many of them. But tire of what we had we did; it's only human nature, you know, to regard a thing as of diminishing importance when once it is in our possession.

"The application of what I'm saying is in relation to the same trait as shown by men and women. A trait which in my business life I've had plenty of opportunities to study. It's all a fallacy about our growing up in every way; there are lots of childish things that we don't outgrow, and never will, and this getting tired of toys is one of them. The toys change, that's all. One of the secrets of establishing successful trade is recognition of this fact. People don't want novelties so much because they are novelties as because a change is welcome, whether in wearing apparel, articles of ornament, house furnishings, or means of conveyance.

"I hate to think what will happen to the automobile business when airplanes come in. When we are used to a thing, we can't get in the least excited about it, and pleasurable excitement, I think, is what most of us young and old are after in this day and generation. I don't know that in the last analysis, we are very much worse than our ancestors in this particular, but this age moves more rapidly than any previous one, and naturally, we show the effects. We simply have more chances to be off with the old and on with the new, and it's come to be a point of honor to avail ourselves of these chances up to the limit of our purses."

Treasure Trove in France.

A remarkable case of treasure trove has been reported to the French treasury. The find consisted of two large sacks of French crowns of the reigns of Louis XIII and XIV. They had been brought to light in the course of some excavations carried out in the barracks at Romarin. They are believed to have been buried under ground for security during the wars and the famine that desolated France in the closing years of the Grand Monarque. The oldest date about 260 years back.

Are You Insured?

IF NOT, WHY NOT?

Hicks predicts tornadoes during the summer and fires are liable to occur at any time. Therefore you had better prepare yourself against loss by insuring in old reliable companies.

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When hot and tired and thirsty just stop at Ramsey's and make a noise like

ORANGEADE, Only 5c, Try It.

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Did You Know

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We are now agents for the well known "Pal-Pinta" or Texas Carlsbad mineral water, and the now famous "Claremore Radium Water." Let us talk to you about them.

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THE DRUGGISTS.

"We run a drug store and nothing more."

Cosmetics will ruin the complexion. There's no beauty practice equal to the effects of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It keeps the entire body in perfect health. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Ramsey's drug store.

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No. 504—St. Louis and Kansas City Passenger. 11:43 p. m.

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No. 509—Meteor. 9:35 a. m.

No. 511—Texas Passenger. 8:23 p. m.

No. 515—Sherman Express. 3:05 a. m.

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S. W. Hill. City Treasurer

R. C. Couch. City Marshal

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H. Brown. Chief Fire Dept.

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Use Big 44 for uncured urinary tract infections, irritations or ulcerations of the mucous membrane of the bladder, prostate, ureters, and not astriction of the ureters. Sold by Druggists, or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for \$1.00, or 3 bottles \$2.75. Circular sent on request.

THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE

Hereby is announced the Mason Drug Co., a candidate for the most popular drug store in Pontotoc county, subject to the action and approval of all the people who want PURE DRUGS, HONEST PRICES, and a square deal. And this candidate will be an easy winner.

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Is given up to be best. Do
Largest Agency Work
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Then get a good clean one, Hot or Cold, at High & Litzman's Barber Shop, next door to English Kitchen.



When you want to enjoy a good appetizing meal at a moderate charge, come to the

English Kitchen

Everything strictly first class and clean. Once you eat here you'll become a regular patron.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure by local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proved catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials.

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MURDERERS' SCHEME NOW IS INSANITY

The Practice Might Almost Be Classed as a Fine Art--How It Has Been Successfully Done, with Legal Assistance, in Some Celebrated New York Cases.

New York — It's a shame! Here I was ready to go to trial with my murder case this morning and that fool of a client of mine had to go to work and get a shave and a haircut. Now I can't have him tried for two months. He's got to wait now until the vacation season is over. I'll make sure that he does not shave any more while I have anything to do with his defense.

I was coming out of the criminal courts building when I ran into a lawyer, an old acquaintance—he is one of the best known criminal lawyers in this country—who appeared to me as though he was about mad enough to

The prosecutor consulted the judge on the bench. He said he was willing. The prisoner was arraigned once more.

Defendant at the bar called out Clerk Penney, you say you chance your plea of not guilty of murder in the first degree, heretofore interposed in your case and now plead guilty to murder in the second degree. Is that your plea?

"It is," came the response from the prisoner at the bar.

Two months before that—right after the shave and hair cut—no such plea would have been accepted. Death in the electric chair was then the only

ly a fit subject for an insane asylum. They called him the "crazy cop."

But the district attorney won his point. The jury found the policeman guilty of murder in the first degree.

There was nothing else for the judge to do than to sentence the man to be electrocuted at Sing Sing. Ennis heard the sentence and acted as though he did not know what was happening. They took him to Sing Sing. He was weak and broken in health. He was placed in one of the steel cages in the death house and there the man sat, in almost utter silence, for nearly two years while his case was being passed upon by the highest court in the state.

During all these days and months while Ennis was confined in the death house he never spoke to one of the other condemned men. Although they tried their best to entertain the convicted policeman he never spoke to them. When the warden and the keepers attempted to draw him into a conversation Ennis would mumble some thing that they could not understand. He would sit all day and long into the night always in a crouching position. When once a week they would open his cell door and tell him to step out side that he might be bathed and shaved. He would bobble about as if he was a wild beast. But never a word did he utter. At first he refused to take food. After a while he ate but sparingly only. He wasted away terribly.

The Chloroform Test.

Dr. Irvine, the expert physician of the prison, was among the few who seemed to be in doubt as to whether Ennis' mind was really affected or not. His case was widely discussed among experts, but here was a kind of insanity that was up to that time practically unknown.

One day there came word from Albany that the court of appeals had confirmed the sentence and conviction of the lower court, and that the death sentence must be carried out according to law. Warden Johnson was puzzled.

Warden Johnson, who is a very conscientious man, reported to the governor and the latter, in order that no injustice should be done and an insane man made to suffer the death penalty, appointed a commission composed of leading experts in insanity and they went to Sing Sing and looked at Ennis. They questioned the warden and the keepers and from them learned the story I have narrated here.

If we can only get his mind off the subject, said the doctors. "If he is shamming we can find it out only by getting his mind off the subject."

They carried Ennis out of the death house and up to the operating room in the hospital inside of the prison walls. There they placed him on an operating table and the chloroform was administered. They gave him a small

"Gentlemen," he stammered, "yes, you have found me out. But you would not have done so had you not put me under chloroform. Now I'm glad it's over and I am ready to take my medicine. You cannot imagine what I have suffered during all these long months while I was trying to beat the chair. Now I am glad the end is at hand."

I well remember the case of Martin Thorne, the barber, who, together with Augusta Nack, a midwife, killed William Guldensuppe, a rubber in a Turkish bath. William F. Howe, the veteran criminal lawyer, was his senior counsel. Joseph Moss, now a magistrate, and at that time also connected with the firm of Howe & Hummel, was also of counsel. I sat next to Thorne during his trial, which took place in Long Island City and later on I saw him electrocuted in Sing Sing.

There was nobody at that time who understood more about putting on the right kind of defense than did the veteran Howe. I remember going to him just as the trial was about to start and asking him what kind of a defense Thorne would put up.

"Ah my boy," said Mr. Howe to me, "I don't know myself. That is it all depends upon circumstances. In the first place we (he always spoke of his client as we) did not commit the crime. Therefore you see—and quite readily too—that we are innocent of this most awful charge that a grand jury, guided by a misinformed district attorney, has declared against us."

A short time after the commencement of the trial Mrs. Nack announced that she would turn state's evidence. She confessed all and swore that Thorne had committed the murder.

I was assigned that night to notify Mr. Howe of what had occurred. I found him in an up town hotel. He had retired when the bellboy took up my card. I was asked to "Come right in, my boy."

I told him that the woman in the case had confessed that Thorne had killed Guldensuppe and that she had helped the man to dispose of the body of the victim.

"What are you going to do now about the defense?" I inquired. "I have it! I have it!" all at once shouted Mr. Howe looking as happy as a schoolboy with a new toy. "What do you think of it?"

The only thing left you is insanity, I suggested.

And that is where you are wrong," replied Mr. Howe. "I told you I had it. Here is our new defense. I knew it all the while. Now please don't think that I just manufactured it. Why of course we knew all the time that this was the body of Guldensuppe although the head was missing. We know too who killed the man. We did it. She did it. Yes she did. All we had to do with the case was to

TIMBER KING WALKER.

MULTIMILLIONAIRE OF WHOM LITTLE IS KNOWN.

Could Become One of World's Richest Men by Forming Lumber Trust Which He Opposes—Proud of His Five Sons.

Minneapolis, Minn.—"I have no respect for men whose sole object is gain and control over other men for their own personal aggrandizement. Such a purpose in life is false, and contempt is its just due. I shall, if possible, make such an arrangement as will forever prevent the lands which I now own from passing into the control of those who might abuse them in the people who require their products."

This is the remarkable utterance of a man whose wealth is estimated at least \$40,000,000 and who, though inconspicuous ranks among the nation's richest capitalists of industry. By the single stroke of his pen Thomas Barlow Walker, who owns more timber land than any other man in the country, might stack his millions in equal numbers with those of John D. Rockefeller or Andrew Carnegie.

Like all men of vast wealth estimates of Mr. Walker's wealth vary. Some place it as high as \$100,000,000 but \$40,000,000 is a very conservative estimate.

In an interview at his home, in this city, the timber king discussed the great economic question of the day and explained his own position. Despite his enormous wealth he is little known outside of his immediate business and home circles.

In lumber circles the unsolved question has been why a lumber trust was not formed along the lines of other big industrial corporations. In an interview Mr. Walker gave the answer, for the first time publicly. He said:

"As long as I live there will never be a timber trust if I can prevent it. I have been approached repeatedly to head a combination that would control practically all the lumber supply of the United States and Canada. I have as often positively refused to even consider the proposition."

Mr. Walker is the largest individual owner of timber beyond question.

When asked about his five sons and their association with his enterprises, a great pride shone in his eyes.

Yes, the boys run the business now. As they returned home from school they entered into my business with me and to day they understand it so thoroughly that I really believe I am no longer necessary to its continued success.

Each son manages departments that in themselves singly constitute vast business enterprises such as many millioned men would view with envy.

Fletcher L. has entire management of the great Minnesota timber tracts and lumber mills.

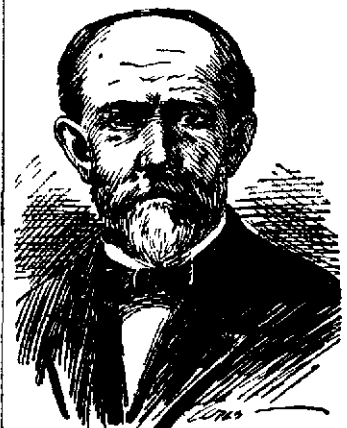
Clinton has absolute charge of the California timber tract. Very little development work has been done there yet, and a herculean task confronts him.

Gilbert M. spent many years on Minnesota timber tracts and finally assisted his father in an advantageous sale to a competing concern.

Willis J. conducts his father's personal affairs and manages the finances.

Archibald Dean manages the Walker real estate interests. Millions of dollars are invested in Minneapolis realty alone. Archibald had no fixed name until at six he was allowed to choose it for himself.

"Here is my favorite corner," he said, as we passed through his library,



THOMAS B. WALKER. (Timber King Who Is Strongly Opposed to a Lumber Trust.)

indicating a case in which the volumes were more worn than the rest.

"What is the general theme?"

"Sociology. I love the study of political, religious and industrial problems the world over. I can never tell which affords me the greatest pleasure and interest—these old volumes or my pictures."

Mr. Walker opened his great gallery to the public several years ago. There are no closed days and no admission was ever charged. Even catalogues are furnished visitors free.

His home, built years ago, is simple and comparatively small. Its associations are dearer to him than a gilded palace. Many comfortable benches are placed in the edge of the lawn, and here the people are welcome to come and sit beneath the shade. While his charitable and philanthropic work is done quietly it is extensive and he is the main supporter of certain institutions in his city.

EXPERTS EXAMINING A 'FAKIR.'



jump out of his skin with Gus Roeder in the New York World.

"What's the matter this morning?" I inquired.

"Nothing the matter," he replied. "Only here I was ready for the trial of that man I was assigned to look after on the charge of homicide and that fool has spoiled my defense."

The lawyer explained. The case was one of cold blooded murder. It was a homicide committed while in the act of committing a burglary. The defendant was an old timer. The district attorney was looking for a conviction of murder in the first degree, the punishment of which is death in the electric chair. The lawyer who had been assigned to defend the man surely was 'up against it.'

"My man was insane at the time of the shooting," said the attorney. The district attorney laughed when he heard about the kind of defense that was to be offered.

Two months later the prisoner was brought to court again. What a change! I was unable to identify the man. His hair was long and looked as though a comb had never passed through it. There was a two months growth of reddish beard on his face. His eyes were staring. Altogether the defendant appeared more like a monster than a human being.

The Ruse That Worked.

"No use trying him," he's not right in his upper story," said the lawyer to the assistant district attorney in charge. The prosecutor seemed to have his doubts. In order to go to trial in the case it was necessary to get a jury, and then there was some doubt as to whether, after all, a conviction of murder in the first degree could be secured.

"Will you take a plea of guilty of murder in the second degree?" asked the lawyer.

solution of the case. But two months under the guidance of the experienced attorney at law had made an absolutely positive change for the better. The miserable life of the prisoner was saved by a method that is only too often applied in cases which are considered desirable. The defendant instead of being put to death is now serving a life sentence in Sing Sing. There are others of his kind. There is nobody knows that better than does the shrewd Connaughton, the principal keeper of the prison or as he is often called the P. K.

It is not always that the murderer succeeds in carrying his shamming game to a successful termination. I recall well the case of Policeman William H. Ennis. His is considered the most remarkable of all the shamming cases that ever came under the observation of the officials in Sing Sing.

Ennis was a Brooklyn policeman. He was a married man and as far as his police record went a good policeman. But he would get drunk and when he was in his cups there was no telling what he would do.

The bluecoat and his wife did not get along well. Some said it was a case of 'too much mother in law.' Whether that be true or not Ennis shot and killed his wife and then shot his mother in law who recovered. When arrested Ennis shammed suicidal mania. He was put on trial, nevertheless. His defense was insanity. He was convicted. Throughout the entire trial the fellow sat beside his counsel as though in a trance. His lawyer pleaded and pleaded with great earnestness. Alienists swore the policeman was surely mad. His friends also testified that in their opinion he was of unsound mind. Ennis never said a word. There were many in that crowded courtroom who, after looking at the man, insisted that he was sure-

ENNIS SAT ALL DAY LONG AND FAR INTO THE NIGHT IN DOGGED SILENCE



UNDER THE CHLOROFORM TEST HE WALKED TO THE DOOR



"HEARING VOICES" THE PLEA OF JOSEPHINE TERRANOVA.

doze only just enough to make him unconscious for a short while. As the chloroform was beginning to wear off Dr. Irvine suddenly pushed the man off the operating table so that he struck the floor with a thud. This awakened the "crazy cop" in a jiffy.

Get up and hurry over to that door," commanded Mr. Connaughton, who was present during the experiment.

Ennis walked to the door, just as you or I would, in a natural way. He had forgotten all about the hobbling and the crouching—and that was his undoing.

"Oh, you fakir!" yelled the experts and Connaughton. "You fakir! We found you out!"

The moment Ennis realized that he had been caught "with the goods on," as 'Big Bill' Devery would have said had he been on hand, he turned as white as a sheet. Nobody realized better than he did that his end was at hand.

help her, out of pure gallantry, to dispose of the body. That is no crime. She did the killing, nothing else. That is our defense."

Thorne went on the witness stand and told the story just as Mr. Howe had outlined it to me. But the jury did not believe him, and convicted the barber of murder in the first degree.

The Reason.

F. A. Busse, Chicago's new mayor, had been complimented by a reporter on the direct, terse quality of a statement he had given out.

"I am a believer in brevity," said Mr. Busse, smiling. "The fewer words you say a thing in, the stronger and more striking is that thing's effect."

"Once I knew a man who hated the Swiss."

"Why, Jake, I said to him one day, 'you astound me. You hate the Swiss, yet here you are married to a Swiss wife.'"

STATUE TO ENSIGN BAGLEY. Memorial to Young Naval Lieutenant Erected by North Carolina.

Raleigh, N. C.—North Carolina now has raised two monuments to her soil.



Ensign Bagley Monument.

died dead in the brief war with Spain. The first was to Lieut. William E. Shipp, of the Ninth cavalry, who was shot and instantly killed by a Mauser bullet at the storming of San Juan hill in Cuba.

A few days ago the state erected another memorial to an officer who happened by Fate's decree to be the only one of the naval branch of the service to meet death in that war. This was Ensign Worth Bagley, to whom death came in the Bay of Cardenas, Cuba. The monument to Shipp is at Charlotte. That to Bagley adorns the Capitol square at Raleigh, his native city.

Ensign Bagley was born in Raleigh, April 7, 1874, his father, who had been a major in the confederate service, being at that time grand master of the North Carolina Odd Fellows.

His mother was a granddaughter of Gov. Jonathan Worth. On both sides the families are thoroughly representative, and have so been from the colonial days. On June 30, 1893, he was appointed to the United States Naval academy after a competitive examination. He was made an ensign July 1, 1897. He served on the cruiser Montgomery, on the battleship Texas and then on the Maine.

When Lieut. Bernadu took com-

mand of the torpedo boat Winslow he chose Bagley as his lieutenant, the latter having been recommended by many officers for fitness. He began his duties on the Winslow December 28, 1897.

O'BRIEN TO BE TRANSFERRED.

Minister to Denmark Will Succeed Ambassador Wright.

Washington.—The state department has formally announced that Thomas J. O'Brien of Grand Rapids, Mich., United States minister to Copenhagen, will become ambassador to Japan in September on the retirement of Luke W. Wright of Tennessee, who has given notice to the department that he wishes to leave the service at that time.

Mr. O'Brien is 65 years old and a native of Jackson, Mich. At one time he had the reputation of being the ablest lawyer in Michigan, outside of Detroit. For years he was chief counsel of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, and a director in the road as well. He was never a candidate for office except in 1884, when he was nominated for supreme court justice and went down to defeat with the whole Republican ticket in the land slide of that year. He led his ticket, however, with a handsome vote. He was a delegate to the national con-



THOMAS J. O'BRIEN. (Minister to Denmark Raised to Japanese Post.)

vention of 1894 that nominated McKinley and was a member of the committee that officially notified McKinley of his nomination.

Ananias Far Outclassed.

"Pop, who is this man Ananias there is so much talk about?" "Ananias was a man of ancient times whose record has been so lowered in these days that he is probably sorry he ever got in the game."